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SUMMARY

The performance of a two-stage turbine with variable-area first-stage turbine nozzles was determined in the NACA Lewis altitude wind tunnel over a range of simulated altitudes from 15,000 to 44,000 feet and engine speeds from 50 to 100 percent of rated speed. The variable-area turbine nozzles used in this investigation were primarily a test device for compressor research purposes and were not necessarily of optimum aerodynamic design. The results of this investigation are indicative of effects of turbine-nozzle-area variation on turbine performance within the operating range allowed by the engine. The variable-area turbine nozzles were found to be mechanically reliable and to have negligible leakage losses. Increasing the turbine-nozzle-throat area from 1.15 to 1.67 square feet increased the corrected turbine gas flow or effective turbine nozzle area about 10 percent. At a given corrected turbine speed and turbine pressure ratio, changing the turbine nozzle area from 1.30 to 1.67 square feet lowered the turbine efficiency 3 or 4 percent. The effect of increasing the turbine nozzle area from 1.15 to 1.67 square feet (decreasing the turning angle about $7\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$) would be to lower the turbine efficiency about 5 or 6 percent.

INTRODUCTION

Analyses such as that given in reference 1 indicate the performance and operational advantages to be gained by utilization of variable-area turbine nozzles in turbojet engines. When combined with a proper speed control, the variable turbine nozzle can greatly increase the thrust capability of supersonic turbojet engines because of increased flexibility in matching of the compressor and turbine over a wide range of flight conditions. Furthermore, potential improvements in specific fuel consumption, particularly at thrust values below rated thrust, are possible for engines equipped with both variable-area turbine nozzles and variable-area exhaust nozzles (reference 1). In both these analyses, it was assumed that turbine efficiency was not affected by changes in the area or angle of the turbine nozzles. However, aside from analytical treatment of the problem, there exists at the present time a lack of

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experimental data on the performance of variable-area turbine nozzles operating as integral components of full-scale turbojet engines. Complexity and mechanical reliability have been the main deterrent factors in obtaining experimental data and in the utilization of variable turbine nozzles in present turbojet engine designs.

During a study of the surge characteristics of a turbojet engine fitted with variable-area first-stage turbine nozzles in the NACA Lewis altitude wind tunnel, it was possible to obtain some preliminary data on the effect of these nozzles on the performance of the two-stage turbine. The effect of the variable-area turbine nozzles on the efficiency and gas flow characteristics of the turbine are presented herein. The variable-area turbine nozzles investigated in this study were intended primarily to provide a variable compressor pressure ratio independent of engine speed and turbine-inlet temperature for compressor research purposes; therefore, the aerodynamic design of the nozzles was not necessarily optimum. Furthermore, the turbine rotors and the second-stage stator were designed for fixed-area first-stage nozzles. The experimental results obtained in this investigation, therefore, do not represent the best turbine performance obtainable with variable-area turbine nozzles, but serve instead as a preliminary indicator of general performance and mechanical problems.

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Corrected turbine gas flow and turbine efficiency are presented as functions of corrected turbine speed and turbine pressure ratio to show the effects of turbine nozzle area and nozzle angle on turbine performance. The turbine efficiency obtained with the original fixed turbine nozzles is compared with the turbine efficiency obtained with the variable turbine nozzles at a position corresponding to approximately the same throat area and turning angle. All turbine performance data obtained with the variable turbine nozzles are presented in numerical form in table I.

INSTALLATION AND INSTRUMENTATION

Engine

The engine was mounted on a wing section which extended across the 20-foot-diameter test section of the altitude wind tunnel (fig. 1). Dry refrigerated air was supplied to the engine from the tunnel make-up air system through a duct connected to the engine inlet. Manually controlled butterfly valves in this duct were used to adjust the total pressure of the refrigerated air at the engine inlet to correspond to the desired flight condition, while the static pressure in the tunnel test section was maintained to correspond to the desired altitude. A slip joint with a frictionless seal in the duct permitted the measurement of thrust and installation drag with the tunnel scales.

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The engine used in this investigation was a J40-WE-6, which had a sea-level rating of 7500 pounds of jet thrust at an engine speed of 7260 rpm and a turbine-inlet temperature of 1425° F. At this rating, the compressor pressure ratio was about 5.0 and the engine air flow was 140 pounds per second. A cross-section of the engine is presented in figure 2 showing the main components of the engine which included an eleven-stage axial-flow compressor, a single-annulus basket-type combustor, a two-stage turbine, and a clamshell-type variable-area exhaust nozzle. The engine was equipped with an electronic control that varied engine fuel flow and exhaust-nozzle area to maintain a schedule of turbine-outlet temperature and engine speed.

The original J40-WE-6 engine was modified before the investigation reported herein by replacing the compressor-outlet straightening-vane assembly with a two-element mixer-vane assembly, by using a slightly modified combustor basket, and by replacing the first-stage fixed turbine nozzles with a variable turbine-nozzle diaphragm. The original control was also modified to permit independent control of engine speed and exhaust-nozzle area.

Turbine

Both first- and second-stage turbine disks were solid steel and had an outer diameter of 21.90 inches. The first-stage rotor disk had 62 high-temperature-alloy blades fitted into its outer rim (fig. 3(a)) and the second stage contained 32 blades of the same material (fig. 3(b)). All turbine rotor blades were 5.50 inches in length; the turbine tip diameter was thus 32.90 inches and the hub-tip radius ratio was 0.666. The radial tip clearance for the turbine rotors was $5/32$ inch.

The first-stage or variable turbine-nozzle diaphragm consisted of 56 high-temperature-alloy vanes which could be rotated between an inner and outer shroud (figs. 4(a) and 4(b)). All vanes were rotated simultaneously by an actuating mechanism similar to the one shown schematically in figure 5. The single actuating shaft extending through the engine outer skin was actuated by an externally mounted worm-gear drive. Changing the turbine-nozzle vane angle varied the nozzle throat area and also the angle that the fluid is turned in passing through the nozzles. Mid-vane cross sections of two adjacent turbine nozzle vanes are shown in the open and closed positions in figure 6. The solid-line section shows the vanes in the open position corresponding to a geometric throat area of 1.67 square feet and a turning angle at the throat of approximately 54.5° . The dashed-line section corresponds to the closed position with a throat area of 1.15 square feet and turning angle of about 62° . The original fixed turbine nozzles, for which the turbine rotors and second-stage nozzles were designed, corresponded closely to the variable turbine-nozzle setting that provided a throat area of 1.30 square feet and a turning angle of about 59° .

The second-stage or interstage stator consisted of 60 high-temperature-alloy vanes welded to an inner and outer shroud with a fixed nozzle-throat area of approximately 1.81 square feet. The annular passage through the turbine from first-stage nozzles to turbine outlet had approximately constant inner and outer diameters; the unblocked annular area was about 3.4 square feet.

Instrumentation

Stations at which instrumentation was installed within the engine for measuring pressures and temperatures are shown in figure 2. The number of total and static pressure tubes, static pressure orifices, and thermocouples installed at each measuring station is shown in tabular form in this figure. Schematic sketches of the instrumentation at the cowl inlet (station 1), compressor outlet (station 4), turbine inlet (station 5), and turbine outlet (station 6) are shown in figure 7. Fuel flow was measured by calibrated rotameters and engine speed was measured by a stroboscopic tachometer.

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Procedure

Data were obtained at altitudes of 15,000, 30,000, 40,000, and 44,000 feet at various flight Mach numbers from 0.14 to 0.62. Extensive performance data were obtained at an altitude of 30,000 feet and a flight Mach number of 0.62. At this flight condition, the variable turbine nozzles were set at five different positions and at each nozzle position the engine was operated at six different speeds from 3630 to 7260 rpm (rated speed). At each turbine-nozzle setting and engine speed, the exhaust nozzle was varied from the wide-open position to full closed, or until limiting turbine temperature was approached, to extend the range of turbine pressure ratio and corrected turbine speed. The ranges of turbine pressure ratio, corrected turbine speed, turbine nozzle area, and engine speed covered at this flight condition are shown in the following table:

Engine speed, rpm	3630 to 7260
Measured turbine-nozzle-throat area, sq ft	1.15 to 1.67
Turbine pressure ratio	1.57 to 3.00
Corrected turbine speed, rpm	2663 to 4407

The symbols and methods of calculation used to determine the turbine performance are given in the appendix.

RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

Inasmuch as the primary object is to show the effect of turbine nozzle area on turbine performance, curves are shown only for an altitude of 30,000 feet and a flight Mach number of 0.62 where the most extensive investigation was made. Data obtained at all of the flight conditions investigated are presented in numerical form in table I.

Corrected Turbine Gas Flow

The variation of corrected turbine gas flow with corrected turbine speed for all five turbine nozzle areas is shown in figure 8 for an altitude of 30,000 feet and a flight Mach number of 0.62. Although turbine pressure ratio is not a direct function of corrected turbine speed, lines of constant turbine pressure ratio have been superimposed to indicate approximately the general increase in turbine pressure ratio with increased corrected turbine speed at each turbine nozzle area. For each of the five nozzle areas, the corrected gas flow increased with corrected turbine speed to a maximum value and was unaffected by further increases in corrected turbine speed or turbine pressure ratio. Failure of the corrected gas flow to increase at high corrected turbine speeds (and high turbine pressure ratios) is attributed to choking of the flow at some station within the turbine. The turbine pressure ratio for choking varied from about 2.6 at a turbine nozzle area of 1.15 square feet to about 2.2 at an area of 1.67 square feet. However, these values of turbine pressure ratio at the transition point between choked and unchoked flow are very approximate because of the data inaccuracy in the low range of turbine pressure ratios.

The maximum corrected turbine gas flow (choked conditions) obtained at each nozzle area is shown in figure 9. This curve is also a measure of effective turbine-nozzle throat area inasmuch as corrected turbine gas flow is directly proportional to effective area when the nozzles are choked. Over the range of actual turbine nozzle areas from 1.15 to 1.67 square feet, the effective turbine nozzle area varied from 1.13 to 1.25 square feet for an effective area range of approximately 10 percent. It is apparent that the effective and measured areas are nearly equal at small area settings of the nozzles but the effective area is considerably smaller than the measured area at large area settings. This indicates a reduction in nozzle flow coefficient (defined as the ratio of effective area to measured area) from about 0.98 to 0.75 as the nozzles are opened. This large reduction in indicated flow coefficient may be caused by choking at some station within the turbine other than the inlet nozzles. However, inasmuch as interstage pressures and temperatures were not measured, the location of the choking station within the turbine could not be determined with certainty.

Turbine Efficiency

The turbine efficiencies obtained with all five turbine nozzle areas at an altitude of 30,000 feet and a flight Mach number of 0.62 are shown in figure 10 as a function of corrected turbine speed. The maximum turbine efficiency obtained was 0.87 with the smallest turbine nozzle area and a high corrected turbine speed. The minimum turbine efficiency was about 0.70 with the largest nozzle area and a low corrected turbine speed. In general, turbine efficiency increased with corrected turbine speed for all turbine nozzle areas and was lowered by increasing the turbine nozzle area (decreasing the nozzle turning angle) at a given corrected turbine speed. These general effects, however, are not clearly separated in figure 10 because the effects of turbine pressure ratio have not been accounted for.

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In figures 11(a) and (b) to 15(a) and (b), operating lines of turbine pressure ratio and turbine efficiency are shown as functions of corrected turbine speed for each engine speed and turbine nozzle area. Although turbine efficiency is not a direct function of engine speed, lines of constant engine speed have been faired for the turbine efficiency data for the purpose of obtaining cross plots. The cross plots of turbine efficiency against corrected turbine speed for constant values of turbine pressure ratio obtained from parts (a) and (b) of figures 11 to 15 are shown in parts (c) of these figures. At a constant turbine pressure ratio, turbine efficiency increased with increased corrected turbine speed. This trend occurred at all values of constant turbine pressure ratio for which cross plots could be obtained at each turbine nozzle area. The maximum range of corrected turbine speed obtainable at a constant turbine pressure ratio was about 200 rpm and the average increase in turbine efficiency for this increase in corrected turbine speed was about 4 percent. However, the rate of increase in turbine efficiency with increased corrected turbine speed was greater at the lower values of constant turbine pressure ratio. At a given corrected turbine speed, turbine efficiency increased with reduced turbine pressure ratio, but the corrected turbine speed could be maintained constant only for a very small range of turbine pressure ratios.

The effect of changing turbine nozzle area and turning angle on turbine efficiency at a given corrected turbine speed and turbine pressure ratio is shown in figure 16. The symbols, which represent cross-plotted data points rather than actual data points, have been included to indicate the accuracy of the cross-plotted data as well as for distinguishing between turbine nozzle areas. In all cases where a comparison could be made at the same turbine pressure ratio and corrected turbine speed, the turbine efficiency was lowered by increasing the turbine nozzle area. Changing the turbine nozzle area from 1.30 to 1.67 square feet at constant values of corrected turbine speed and turbine pressure ratio

lowered the turbine efficiency by 3 or 4 percent. It is probable that the reduction in turbine efficiency over the complete range of turbine nozzle areas (decreasing the turning angle about $7\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$) would not be more than about 5 or 6 percent in the region of high corrected turbine speeds and turbine pressure ratios.

A comparison of turbine efficiencies obtained with the original fixed turbine nozzles and with the variable turbine nozzles at a corresponding area setting and at the same flight conditions and engine speed is shown in figure 17. The slightly lower turbine efficiency of about 1 percent (which is less than the data accuracy spread) obtained with the variable turbine nozzles indicates that the leakage losses with the variable nozzles were very small.

Mechanical Reliability

The variable-area turbine-nozzle diaphragm was installed in the engine during approximately 240 hours of engine operation and only minor mechanical difficulties were encountered during this period. Although the turbine nozzle area was not varied frequently during the part of the engine investigation reported herein, a great many changes in nozzle area were made during other parts of the investigation. The nozzles were at low physical loading conditions most of the time because most of the investigation was conducted at high altitudes, but inasmuch as a large part of the total operating time was at military speed and temperature, it is felt that these tests were a good indication of variable turbine nozzle life. Calibrations of turbine-nozzle-throat dimensions versus indicated nozzle setting showed good reproducibility of turbine nozzle areas.

CONCLUDING REMARKS

The variable-area turbine nozzles were found to be mechanically reliable and to have negligible leakage losses. It was possible to achieve a variation in corrected turbine gas flow or effective turbine nozzle area of about 10 percent by use of these variable turbine nozzles. At a given corrected turbine speed and turbine pressure ratio, changing the turbine nozzle area from 1.30 to 1.67 square feet lowered the turbine efficiency by 3 or 4 percent. The effect of increasing the turbine nozzle area from 1.15 to 1.67 square feet (decreasing the turning angle about $7\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$) would probably lower the turbine efficiency about 5 or 6 percent.

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APPENDIX - CALCULATIONS

Symbols

The following symbols are used in this report:

A	cross-sectional area, sq ft
g	acceleration due to gravity, 32.2 ft/sec ²
H	enthalpy of air or gas mixture, Btu/lb
N	engine speed, rpm
P	total pressure, lb/sq ft absolute
p	static pressure, lb/sq ft absolute
R	gas constant, 53.4 ft-lb/lb-°R
T	total temperature, °R
T _i	indicated temperature, °R
v	velocity, ft/sec
w _a	air flow, lb/sec
w _f	fuel flow, lb/hr
w _g	gas flow, lb/sec
α	thermocouple impact recovery factor, 0.85
γ	ratio of specific heats for gases
δ	pressure correction factor, P/2116 (total pressure divided by NACA standard sea-level pressure)
η	adiabatic efficiency
θ	temperature correction factor, γT/(1.4)(519), (product of γ and total temperature divided by product of γ and temperature for air at NACA standard sea-level conditions)
ρ	density, slugs/cu ft

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Corrected parameters:

$N/\sqrt{\theta_5}$ corrected turbine speed, rpm

T_5/θ_2 corrected turbine-inlet temperature, °R

$\frac{W_g \sqrt{\theta_5}}{\delta_5(\gamma_5/1.4)}$ corrected turbine-inlet gas flow, lb/sec

$\Delta H_t/\theta_5$ corrected turbine enthalpy drop, Btu/lb

Subscripts:

a air

g gas mixture

t turbine

l cowl inlet

2 compressor inlet

4 compressor outlet

5 turbine inlet

6 turbine outlet

Methods of Calculation

Total temperatures were calculated from thermocouple indicated temperatures with the equation

$$T = \frac{T_i \left(\frac{P}{P} \right)^{\frac{\gamma-1}{\gamma}}}{1 + \alpha \left[\left(\frac{P}{P} \right)^{\frac{\gamma-1}{\gamma}} - 1 \right]} \quad (1)$$

Air flow. - Air flow was determined from pressure and temperature measurements at the cowl inlet (station 1) by use of the equation

$$W_{a,1} = g \rho_1 A_1 V_1 = A_1 \sqrt{\frac{2g}{R}} \left(\frac{P_1}{\sqrt{T_1}} \right) \sqrt{\left(\frac{r_1}{r_{1-l}} \right) \left(\frac{P_1}{p_1} \right)} \frac{r_{1-l}}{r_1} \left[\left(\frac{P_1}{p_1} \right) \frac{r_{1-l}}{r_1} - 1 \right] \quad (2)$$

Gas flow. - Gas flow was calculated from fuel-flow measurements and cowl-inlet air flow as follows:

$$W_g = W_{a,1} + W_f / 3600 \quad (3)$$

Turbine-inlet temperature. - Turbine-inlet temperature was determined from the enthalpy and fuel-air ratio at the turbine inlet by use of temperature-enthalpy tables. Turbine-inlet enthalpy was calculated from the following equation which assumes that the turbine enthalpy drop equals the compressor enthalpy rise:

$$H_{g,5} = H_{g,6} + \frac{W_{a,1}}{W_g} (H_{a,4} - H_{a,2}) \quad (4)$$

Turbine efficiency. - The turbine adiabatic efficiency was determined from the following equation:

$$\eta_t = \frac{1 - \frac{T_6}{T_5}}{1 - \left(\frac{P_6}{P_5} \right) \frac{r_{t-l}}{r_t}} \quad (5)$$

where r_t is the average value of r between stations 5 and 6.

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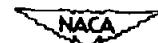


TABLE I. - VARIABLE-AREA TURBINE PERFORMANCE

Run	Altitude (ft)	N_0	P_0 (lb sq ft)	Turbine nozzle area (sq ft)	N (rpm)	W_t (lb sq ft)	P_2 (lb sq ft)	T_2 (°R)	T_4 (°R)	P_5 (lb sq ft)	T_5 (°R)	P_6 (lb sq ft)	T_6 (°R)	$W_{a,1}$ (lb sec)	$W_{k,5}$ (lb sec)	η_t	P_5/P_6	N $\sqrt{P_0}$ (rpm)	ΔH_t (Btu lb)	T_5 (°R)	$W_{k,5}/\theta_5$ θ_5 (°R)	$W_{a,1}(3500)$ lb sec	W_t (lb sec)	T_5 T_6
1	15,000	0.424	1185	1.15	7280	3140	1540	499	855	6421	1563	2210	1239	95.40	98.58	0.8637	2.905	4281	30.2	1840	56.36	-----	0.0103	1.262
2		.464	1188	1.15	7280	3525	1379	495	858	6626	1680	2370	1325	95.46	98.56	.8773	2.705	4185	29.7	1745	56.53	.0115	1.253	
3		.464	1189	1.15	7280	3935	1378	494	866	6626	1680	2370	1382	95.72	96.93	.8753	2.740	4095	28.2	1808	56.42	.0128	1.246	
4		.460	1196	1.15	7280	4340	1582	494	871	8794	1720	2479	1503	95.46	96.79	.8849	2.619	3956	27.9	1944	57.15	.0140	1.231	
5		.467	1188	1.15	7280	4795	1379	494	880	6964	1850	2659	1503	95.46	94.02	.8407	2.865	4268	30.4	1479	55.86	.0085	1.283	
6		.458	1199	1.15	6897	2855	1385	495	824	5979	1410	2016	1116	95.23	94.02	.8407	2.865	4268	30.4	1479	55.86	.0085	1.283	
7		.456	1181	1.15	6897	3515	1372	491	837	6240	1560	2264	1261	92.67	93.65	.8613	2.768	4071	28.8	1649	56.54	.0108	1.247	
8		.457	1200	1.15	6897	3783	1384	490	839	6384	1600	2378	1294	93.34	94.59	.8540	2.686	4022	28.2	1694	56.58	.0112	1.236	
9		.455	1195	1.15	6897	4195	1375	490	849	6551	1704	2547	1386	92.98	94.15	.8801	2.584	3895	27.8	1809	56.76	.0128	1.229	
10		.480	1198	1.15	6897	4810	1382	498	862	6710	1810	2965	1486	95.04	94.32	.8781	2.514	3800	28.7	1685	57.13	.0138	1.218	
11		.484	1188	1.15	6353	2235	1377	492	781	5218	1500	1822	1038	84.84	85.46	.8289	2.863	4080	28.5	1372	55.75	.0078	1.255	
12		.456	1191	1.15	6353	2590	1374	491	789	5357	1394	1968	1128	84.11	84.83	.8259	2.722	3951	27.5	1473	55.96	.0086	1.236	
13		.456	1192	1.15	6353	3000	1375	491	801	6462	1485	2070	1213	85.30	84.33	.8252	2.638	3838	27.0	1570	56.45	.0100	1.224	
14		.467	1186	1.15	6353	3250	1377	490	802	6821	1555	2235	1280	82.72	83.62	.8583	2.514	3757	25.9	1647	55.75	.0109	1.215	
15		.457	1197	1.15	6353	5815	1381	491	809	5739	1860	2359	1369	81.88	82.88	.8430	2.434	3851	25.1	1744	58.66	.0125	1.205	
16		.469	1183	1.15	5908	1800	1375	488	676	4364	1150	1669	966	75.73	74.23	.6998	2.815	3851	21.6	1225	54.25	.0068	1.190	
17		.471	1186	1.15	5908	2115	1381	487	736	4482	1310	1742	1082	78.40	73.99	.7886	2.575	3718	25.0	1395	56.42	.0080	1.211	
18		.472	1176	1.15	5908	2455	1370	486	745	4546	1420	1891	1191	70.28	70.98	.7885	2.404	3583	23.6	1515	58.76	.0097	1.192	
19		.460	1186	1.15	5908	2785	1371	480	748	4631	1530	2029	1290	65.99	66.77	.8215	2.282	3489	23.1	1655	53.55	.0118	1.186	
20		.455	1188	1.15	5908	3018	1369	486	768	4585	1830	2142	1386	68.71	69.55	.8540	2.141	3539	22.1	1736	58.28	.0122	1.176	
21		.475	1176	1.15	4719	1095	1372	486	850	2669	1050	1514	896	52.10	52.40	.7534	2.183	3552	19.7	1114	55.51	.0058	1.169	
22		.486	1182	1.15	4719	1229	1388	486	851	2982	1096	1420	958	52.17	52.51	.7853	2.100	3286	18.4	1168	54.78	.0065	1.167	
23		.462	1185	1.15	4719	1585	1371	487	857	5008	1165	1500	1005	50.80	51.19	.8055	2.003	3193	18.7	1241	54.72	.0075	1.158	
24		.472	1182	1.15	4719	1511	1377	487	863	3100	1360	1802	1045	49.70	50.12	.8424	1.935	3111	18.7	1310	53.47	.0084	1.157	
25		.474	1186	1.15	4719	1838	1383	488	868	3144	1390	1828	1124	49.19	49.65	.8083	1.932	3045	18.3	1374	53.51	.0093	1.148	
26		.467	1180	1.15	5830	785	1370	485	860	2032	940	1217	850	58.81	57.03	.7258	1.670	2717	12.3	1005	52.31	.0059	1.106	
27		.472	1177	1.15	5830	879	1371	485	884	2069	990	1283	902	58.17	56.41	.7234	1.613	2682	12.3	1058	51.91	.0068	1.098	
28		.482	1182	1.15	5830	965	1387	485	888	2163	1055	1384	981	58.20	56.47	.7795	1.563	2674	12.1	1128	51.42	.0074	1.098	
29		.460	1193	1.30	7280	3570	1378	483	812	5924	1460	2124	1190	98.98	97.90	.6594	2.789	4392	26.9	1591	60.30	.0097	1.244	
30		.463	1185	1.30	7280	3785	1369	493	858	-----	1893	2488	1886	98.29	98.34	-----	2.4243	-----	28.0	1677	-----	-----	0.0110	1.236
31		.459	1192	1.30	7280	4495	1377	489	844	6339	1743	2558	1430	98.18	97.43	.8782	2.488	4070	28.7	1849	61.02	.0130	1.219	
32		.464	1187	1.30	6897	3005	1376	495	803	5533	1430	2027	1153	92.54	93.57	.8384	2.739	4339	28.0	1500	60.21	.0080	1.240	
33		.463	1187	1.30	6897	3485	1374	495	815	5787	1840	2238	1258	92.42	92.39	.8477	2.578	4088	27.2	1615	60.39	.0105	1.234	
34		.462	1190	1.30	6897	3855	1377	494	825	5935	1621	2573	1132	92.75	93.90	.8716	2.501	3591	26.5	1710	60.84	.0115	1.221	
35		.463	1184	1.30	6897	4450	1371	498	831	6150	1746	2582	1446	92.11	95.55	.8803	2.592	3560	26.4	1800	60.74	.0134	1.208	
36		.464	1186	1.30	6353	2400	1375	494	784	4923	1327	1855	1083	88.00	88.87	.8080	2.853	4041	25.9	1397	60.59	.0078	1.225	
37		.464	1185	1.30	6353	2690	1374	492	775	5113	1453	2051	1180	85.59	86.19	.8518	2.493	3900	26.8	1512	60.44	.0084	1.214	
38		.462	1188	1.30	5830	3390	1374	491	781	5316	1563	2256	1301	84.45	85.39	.8490	2.356	3746	24.7	1658	60.37	.0112	1.201	
39		.465	1193	1.30	6353	3885	1375	490	784	5501	1680	2425	1412	81.61	84.69	.8548	2.288	3622	23.7	1778	60.14	.0129	1.190	
40		.460	1188	1.30	6353	4380	1374	489	798	5818	1800	2573	1531	82.61	85.88	.8494	2.188	3510	22.8	1910	60.50	.0148	1.176	
41		.464	1186	1.30	5908	1685	1374	491	724	4144	1250	1665	1007	75.77	76.29	.8563	2.488	3829	24.7	1500	60.85	.0068	1.221	
42		.464	1187	1.30	5908	2230	1376	487	727	4310	1323	1823	1103	75.17	75.79	.8180	2.384	3702	23.5	1409	60.41	.0082	1.199	
43		.463	1185	1.30	5908	2500	1372	488	735	4381	1410	1835	1194	75.55	74.22	.8004	2.256	3594	22.5	1502	60.48	.0094	1.181	
44		.467	1184	1.30	5908	2690	1374	488	745	4477	1540	2073	1310	73.34	73.14	.8352	2.159	3449	21.9	1640	60.91	.0111	1.178	
45		.459	1186	1.30	5808	3298	1372	487	753	4570	1675	2195	1457	70.28	71.20	.8384	2.082	3319	20.9	1782	60.75	.0130	1.184	
46		.464	1187	1.30	4719	1178	1375	486	644	2788	1083	1410	933	58.38	52.71	.8123	1.984	3502	18.6	1158	58.25	.0069	1.181	
47		.467	1185	1.30	4719	1285	1375	485	643	---	1147	---	988	52.53	52.88	---	5215	18.1	1233	---	.0088	1.161		
48		.471	1184	1.30	4719	1550	1378	481	646	2841	1243	1876	1080	52.06	52.43	.8585	1.885	3095	17.8	1342	59.33	.0082	1.161	
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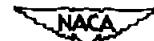


TABLE I. - VARIABLE-AREA TURBINE PERFORMANCE - Continued

Run	Altitude (ft)	M_0	P_0 (lb sq ft)	Turbine nozzle area (sq ft)	N (rpm)	W_r (lb) (hr)	P_2 (lb) (sq ft)	T_2 (°R)	T_4 (°R)	P_6 (lb) (sq ft)	T_5 (°R)	P_6 (lb) (sq ft)	T_6 (°R)	$W_{a,1}$ (lb) (sec)	$W_{g,5}$ (lb) (sec)	η_t	P_5/P_6	N	AH_t $\sqrt{P_5}$ (Btu) (hr)	T_5 (°R)	$W_{g,5}\sqrt{\theta_5}$ η_5 (1.4) (lb) (sec)	W_r $W_{a,1}(3800)$	T_5/T_6
57	15,000	0.455	1188	1.67	7260	5050	1388	487	830	8210	1830	2307	1526	95.40	96.90	0.7681	2.892	3978	24.9	1949	63.72	0.0148	1.200
58		.455	1183	1.67	6897	3370	1562	504	807	5374	1507	----	1235	90.85	91.79	----	4135	25.5	1682	62.92	.0103	1.220	
59		.460	1186	1.67	6897	3765	1571	497	805	5571	1580	1851	1502	92.05	93.10	.7473	2.835	4048	25.8	1680	63.14	.0114	1.214
60		.464	1186	1.67	6897	4083	1578	500	813	5677	1650	2125	1570	91.99	95.12	.7895	2.574	3864	25.1	1713	63.45	.0123	1.204
61		.467	1186	1.67	6897	4480	1577	496	817	6876	1730	2205	1446	92.48	93.72	.7487	2.685	5881	24.4	1811	63.24	.0135	1.185
62		.460	1181	1.67	6897	4890	1585	499	827	5993	1826	2361	1536	91.45	92.81	.7888	2.558	3785	25.8	1898	63.21	.0148	1.188
63		.464	1188	1.67	6555	2895	1574	499	762	4786	1570	1853	1135	85.45	86.18	.7729	2.583	5883	24.8	1425	63.03	.0088	1.206
64		.464	1191	1.67	6553	5160	1381	497	769	5016	1473	2024	1230	85.55	86.21	.7888	2.478	3850	24.5	1538	62.51	.0103	1.188
65		.457	1185	1.67	5685	5848	1385	498	777	5134	1600	2190	1349	84.49	85.50	.8054	2.544	3707	22.8	1675	63.34	.0120	1.186
66		.459	1186	1.67	6355	4075	1370	496	789	5133	1703	2577	1442	85.50	86.63	.8577	2.235	5801	22.8	1785	62.69	.0158	1.181
67		.462	1187	1.67	6353	4450	1374	498	792	5428	1795	2486	1537	82.84	84.08	.8123	2.463	5516	21.5	1868	62.88	.0149	1.167
68		.462	1181	1.67	5806	2090	1388	475	674	4092	1915	1680	1023	77.08	77.66	.7488	2.421	5854	21.8	1532	62.38	.0076	1.188
69		.462	1182	1.67	5806	2600	1368	467	722	4204	1377	1808	1168	75.36	76.07	.7680	2.326	3632	21.8	1467	65.53	.0092	1.179
70		.459	1190	1.67	5808	2885	1375	468	733	4560	1520	2002	1301	74.55	75.57	.7944	2.178	5470	21.1	1622	64.02	.0110	1.188
71		.460	1188	1.67	5808	5250	1373	483	734	4450	1600	2138	1787	75.30	74.20	.6320	2.072	5389	20.4	1780	63.88	.0122	1.184
72		-----	1184	1.67	6808	3595	----	484	676	4504	----	2298	1485	----	----	1.960	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
73		.471	1181	1.67	4719	1250	1378	510	680	2624	1145	1528	998	48.15	49.50	.7864	1.974	3221	17.2	1164	59.87	.0071	1.148
74		.457	1195	1.67	4719	1445	1387	501	687	2781	1197	1428	1046	60.73	61.15	.7844	1.933	3152	17.0	1240	60.56	.0079	1.145
75		.464	1188	1.67	4718	1898	1377	499	688	2782	1265	1528	1106	49.10	49.84	.8037	2.027	3084	18.8	1308	58.58	.0090	1.158
76		.480	1188	1.67	4719	1705	1374	502	684	2841	1235	1624	1173	48.84	49.31	.8298	1.748	3010	18.5	1588	69.88	.0097	1.128
77		.472	1184	1.67	4719	1910	1379	493	682	2803	1400	1733	1246	81.51	82.04	.8772	1.675	2929	18.8	1474	65.52	.0103	1.184
78		.467	1186	1.67	3650	882	1377	486	574	1867	983	1222	800	37.89	37.94	.8918	1.610	2681	11.5	1048	56.71	.0086	1.092
79		.480	1163	1.67	3650	972	1388	485	572	1927	1025	1274	944	37.65	37.80	.8698	1.588	2612	10.4	1100	56.76	.0072	1.084
80		.459	1188	1.67	3650	1080	1370	488	578	2027	1103	1542	1017	38.72	37.01	.7415	1.510	2521	10.5	1178	56.98	.0080	1.088
81		.469	1182	1.67	3650	1125	1373	485	579	2078	1130	1388	1043	38.24	36.55	.7527	1.486	2493	10.4	1208	56.67	.0068	1.085
82	30,000	0.632	605	1.15	7260	1879	781	458	608	3728	1480	1245	1188	57.07	57.52	0.8541	2.985	4392	30.8	1672	56.39	0.0098	1.267
83		.619	616	1.15	7280	2255	797	475	657	5892	1815	1556	1283	56.49	57.12	.8685	2.870	4218	30.0	1770	56.15	.0111	1.250
84		.607	621	1.15	7280	2480	796	471	644	3997	1893	1440	1380	58.30	59.19	.8635	2.778	4125	29.1	1887	56.08	.0122	1.245
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86		-----	620	1.15	7280	3020	797	463	644	4202	----	1599	1518	----	----	2.928	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
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88		.621	619	1.15	6897	1905	603	475	810	3659	1477	1260	1177	58.33	58.88	.8378	2.804	4178	28.7	1613	56.84	.0084	1.268
89		.611	622	1.15	6897	2118	600	471	818	3748	1575	1342	1265	58.25	58.84	.8454	2.793	4085	28.7	1738	57.11	.0104	1.245
90		.610	620	1.15	6897	2490	797	469	826	3886	1710	1467	1393	58.80	58.59	.8487	2.655	3801	27.5	1893	57.37	.0124	1.228
91		.618	618	1.15	6897	2935	795	468	832	4045	1857	1601	1541	58.57	58.38	.8319	2.577	3754	26.8	2087	57.42	.0147	1.205
92		.628	615	1.15	6893	1523	802	475	762	5111	1270	1047	1000	51.17	51.84	.8410	2.971	4125	29.8	1387	56.70	.0072	1.270
93		.619	619	1.15	6853	1445	801	479	770	5149	1557	1088	1070	50.87	51.27	.8181	2.873	4029	28.1	1449	56.28	.0079	1.260
94		.624	618	1.15	6855	1567	804	477	772	5226	1570	1148	1107	51.07	51.51	.8067	2.810	3983	27.5	1491	55.85	.0085	1.238
95		.616	616	1.15	6853	1688	798	479	779	5258	1450	1197	1161	50.49	50.98	.8182	2.792	3902	27.2	1580	56.02	.0093	1.238
96		.624	617	1.15	6853	1788	802	479	781	3502	1455	1232	1184	50.89	51.19	.7938	2.680	3874	26.8	1577	56.08	.0098	1.219
97		.623	616	1.15	5808	997	799	477	720	2600	1150	921	818	46.04	46.34	.8319	2.683	3851	27.3	1251	58.78	.0060	1.257
98		.611	624	1.15	5808	1189	802	476	724	2850	1240	988	1006	46.14	46.46	.8182	2.689	3816	28.9	1352	58.20	.0070	1.233
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100		.618	621	1.15	5808	1498	802	475	757	2754	1400	1116	1164	45.72	46.14	.8017	2.468	3605	24.3	1528	58.54	.0091	1.203
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105		.613	622	1.15	4719	867	801	473	847	1805	1157	859	987	50.80	50.84	.8818	2.077	3204	19.8	1276	54.70	.0079	1.172
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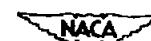
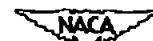


TABLE I. - VARIABLE-AREA TURBINE PERFORMANCE - Continued

Run	Altitude (ft)	W_0	P_0 (lb sq ft)	Turbine nozzle area (sq ft)	N (rpm)	W_f (lb hr)	P_2 (lb sq ft)	T_2 (°R)	T_4 (°R)	P_5 (lb sq ft)	T_5 (°R)	P_6 (lb sq ft)	T_6 (°R)	$W_{a,1}$ (lb sec)	$W_{g,5}$ (lb sec)	n_t	P_6/P_6	$\frac{N}{\sqrt{g_5}}$ (Btu)	$\frac{\Delta H_t}{g_5}$ (°R)	T_5 (°R)	$W_{a,5}\sqrt{g_5}$ $\frac{g_2}{g_5} \left(\frac{T_5}{T_4} \right)^{1/4}$	W_f $W_{a,1}(3600)$	T_5 $\frac{T_5}{T_6}$
113	30,000	0.618	614	1.20	7260	2590	794	482	809	3808	1610	1582	1501	57.02	57.68	0.8006	2.754	4221	28.4	1810	57.86	0.0118	1.238
114		.614	614	1.20	7260	2590	792	458	812	3888	1675	1445	1365	57.02	57.74	.8508	2.691	4148	27.4	1880	57.92	.0126	1.226
115		.614	614	1.20	7260	2765	792	458	815	3960	1733	1509	1422	56.99	57.76	.8341	2.624	4081	26.9	1862	57.93	.0135	1.219
116		.616	612	1.20	6897	1770	790	463	774	3434	1367	1086	56.23	56.72	---	---	4350	29.6	1532	57.73	.0087	1.259	
117		.626	612	1.20	6897	2020	797	482	785	3575	1480	1292	1196	56.66	57.22	.8264	2.767	4173	28.2	1884	56.58	.0099	1.237
118		.621	617	1.20	6897	2305	801	482	785	3722	1590	1404	1234	66.86	57.50	.8435	2.651	4034	27.4	1787	56.58	.0113	1.228
119		.611	614	1.20	6897	2595	789	460	804	3786	1713	1482	1412	65.98	56.70	.8361	2.544	3898	28.2	1952	56.92	.0129	1.213
120		.616	615	1.20	6897	2965	794	478	829	3890	1860	1555	1544	64.71	55.53	.8616	2.435	3753	26.7	2018	56.37	.0181	1.205
121		.634	605	1.20	6897	3030	792	460	813	3974	1847	1621	1540	55.83	56.77	.8360	2.452	3763	25.0	2083	58.67	.0150	1.199
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124		.619	612	1.20	6353	1700	792	480	746	3206	1355	1204	1099	52.43	52.90	.8298	2.684	4006	27.0	1628	57.56	.0090	1.233
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126		.628	615	1.20	6353	2095	802	481	758	3401	1630	1368	1267	52.70	53.28	.8217	2.490	3784	25.2	1723	58.21	.0110	1.208
127		.624	612	1.20	5808	1030	786	480	684	2542	1080	932	880	46.77	47.06	.8477	2.727	4070	27.0	1218	57.15	.0061	1.256
128		---	---	1.20	5808	1112	---	457	659	2589	966	901	880	46.77	47.06	---	2.680	---	---	---	---	---	---
129		.621	606	1.20	6808	1245	785	457	885	2834	1200	1014	971	45.87	46.22	.8424	2.597	3877	25.8	1363	57.27	.0075	1.238
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131		.635	612	1.20	5808	1436	801	460	705	2786	1280	1102	1061	46.36	46.78	.7985	2.510	3762	24.2	1444	57.14	.0086	1.208
132		.624	605	1.20	4719	700	788	459	614	1695	840	746	796	32.40	32.59	.7538	2.272	3535	20.1	1062	56.17	.0060	1.181
133		.624	609	1.20	4719	710	792	458	613	1684	950	782	850	32.66	33.05	.7688	2.165	3475	19.4	1107	56.84	.0062	1.172
134		.629	609	1.20	4719	738	788	458	612	1695	973	782	850	32.66	33.05	.7765	2.115	3564	19.2	1179	56.60	.0067	1.168
135		.630	607	1.20	4719	800	783	458	612	1751	1043	818	893	33.27	33.49	.7765	2.115	3564	19.2	1179	56.60	.0067	1.158
136		.650	609	1.20	4719	910	795	458	622	1788	1123	871	970	33.00	33.26	.7727	2.050	3248	17.9	1271	56.88	.0077	1.158
137		.624	605	1.20	4719	985	788	457	830	---	908	1017	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
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139		.624	607	1.20	3630	560	789	459	546	1126	800	---	713	25.79	25.93	---	---	2959	15.7	904	56.05	.0085	1.122
140		.624	610	1.20	3630	580	783	459	546	1148	810	685	726	25.51	25.67	.7704	1.677	2920	13.5	916	54.73	.0069	1.116
141		.628	608	1.20	3630	530	792	460	549	1174	855	710	773	25.05	25.23	.7585	1.658	2847	12.8	984	54.07	.0076	1.106
142		.626	610	1.20	3630	560	794	460	552	1204	905	736	822	22.22	22.90	.7203	1.636	2771	12.1	1021	53.54	.0081	1.101
143		.616	611	1.30	7260	2020	789	455	778	3497	1473	1268	1185	57.49	58.05	.8560	2.780	4400	28.7	1690	89.40	.0084	1.243
144		.622	607	1.30	7260	2350	788	454	784	3636	1593	1366	1285	57.27	57.92	.8458	2.683	4243	27.7	1821	80.41	.0114	1.232
145		.625	605	1.30	7260	2645	787	455	806	3759	1703	1448	1383	58.97	57.70	.8521	2.584	4113	27.0	1943	80.40	.0128	1.223
146		.625	607	1.30	7260	2975	789	456	817	3888	1810	1557	1486	58.90	57.75	.8476	2.496	4000	28.1	2080	80.38	.0145	1.208
147		.590	632	1.30	7260	3245	787	457	821	3965	1890	1627	1582	58.68	57.58	.8508	2.436	3982	26.1	2147	80.44	.0159	1.198
148		.613	611	1.30	6897	1808	787	459	785	3338	1403	1241	1127	56.23	56.73	.8515	2.890	4279	28.5	1685	80.25	.0089	1.245
149		.619	615	1.30	6897	2050	786	460	775	3480	1493	1294	1210	58.83	67.40	.8378	2.689	4165	27.8	1684	80.42	.0100	1.234
150		.615	621	1.30	6897	2590	804	460	784	3631	1610	1420	1382	57.03	65.89	.8459	2.567	4010	26.7	1818	80.63	.0118	1.219
151		.618	620	1.30	6897	2775	802	461	786	3788	1743	1547	1447	58.94	57.71	.8477	2.447	3886	25.5	1963	80.71	.0136	1.205
152		.618	620	1.30	6897	3125	802	459	804	3933	1853	1657	1628	58.81	57.68	.8263	2.574	3759	24.1	2094	80.34	.0153	1.189
153		.621	620	1.30	6353	1480	804	463	751	3053	1285	1110	1034	53.46	53.89	.8318	2.752	4104	27.1	1440	80.14	.0077	1.243
154		.622	617	1.30	6353	1685	801	462	758	3106	1367	1191	1115	55.05	55.52	.8273	2.608	3988	28.4	1357	80.23	.0088	1.226
155		.626	617	1.30	6363	1905	803	463	746	3222	1465	1284	1207	55.01	63.84	.8247	2.508	3864	25.5	1640	80.24	.0100	1.212
156		.628	606	1.30	6363	2090	789	463	755	3241	1543	1338	1291	51.89	52.47	.8044	2.422	3768	24.3	1730	80.42	.0112	1.185
157		.627	618	1.30	6353	2590	801	463	759	3357	1843	1450	1381	52.53	53.19	.8251	2.538	3662	23.8	1842	80.58	.0126	1.180
158		.607	613	1.30	6808	1083	788	460	685	2462	1130	955	907	45.15	46.45	.8534	2.533	3986	26.4	1275	56.59	.0065	1.246
159		.621	607	1.30	6808	1480	787	462	705	2639	1547	1112	1128	46.71	46.12	.8068	2.575	3671	23.6	1514	56.63	.0090	1.186
160		.614	613	1.30	6808	1690	791	462	712	2717	1443	1190	1228	45.62	46.09	.7732	2.285	3554	22.1	1822	61.09	.0103	1.175
161		.616	608	1.30	5808	1875	788	462	720	2744	1567	1247	1358	45.18	45.70	.8115	2.200	3420	21.5	1781	62.65	.0115	1.174
162		.619	619	1.30	5808	2080	801	462	724	2846	1643	1315	1416	45.75	46.33	.7799	2.164	3348	20.6	1847	62.81	.0128	1.180

TABLE I. - VARIABLE-AREA TURBINE PERFORMANCE - Continued



Run	Altitude (ft)	M_0	P_0 (lb sq ft)	Turbine nozzle area (sq ft)	N (rpm)	W_f (lb hr)	P_2 (lb sq ft)	T_2 (°R)	T_4 (°R)	P_5 (lb sq ft)	T_5 (°R)	P_6 (lb sq ft)	T_6 (°R)	$W_{a,1}$ (lb sec)	$W_{g,5}$ (lb sec)	η_t	P_E/P_S	$N/\sqrt{P_S}$ (rpm)	ΔH_t $\frac{\eta_t}{\eta_2}$ (Btu lb)	T_5 (°R)	$W_{E,B} \sqrt{\frac{P_S}{T_5}}$ η_5 (lb sec)	W_f $W_{a,1}(3600)$ (lb sec)	T_5 $\frac{T_5}{T_6}$
169	30,000	0.621	610	1.30	3630	635	791	480	546	1146	863	705	776	23.44	25.82	0.7811	1.826	2854	12.8	874	55.80	0.0075	1.109
170	.636	610	1.30	3630	638	801	480	850	1186	820	745	836	23.35	25.52	.7836	1.596	2748	12.0	1038	55.31	.0085	1.102	
171	.599	623	1.37	7280	2130	784	488	798	3488	1527	1277	1254	55.95	57.54	.8398	2.751	4527	28.0	1693	61.22	.0104	1.237	
172	.619	608	1.37	7260	2315	787	489	809	----	1807	1334	1304	58.44	57.08	----	----	4228	27.8	1779	----	.0114	1.232	
173	.609	610	1.37	7260	2615	794	489	818	3578	1700	1457	1304	56.75	57.48	.8635	2.569	4118	28.7	1882	61.42	.0128	1.220	
174	.618	604	1.37	7280	2780	780	488	820	3699	1767	1482	1456	55.75	58.52	.8615	2.498	4042	26.0	1880	61.31	.0138	1.214	
175	.579	622	1.37	7260	3016	781	489	824	3794	1840	1589	1529	55.57	58.41	.8653	2.484	3989	25.4	2037	60.93	.0181	1.203	
176	.619	616	1.37	6897	1890	797	487	789	3351	1450	1298	1180	56.49	57.02	.8287	2.717	4236	27.8	1589	61.35	.0083	1.233	
177	.621	607	1.37	6897	2350	787	487	788	3493	1604	1588	1519	55.88	58.33	.8482	2.517	4019	28.1	1782	61.40	.0117	1.218	
178	.628	604	1.37	6897	2590	788	487	785	3606	1885	1471	1398	55.87	58.58	.8418	2.451	3928	25.3	1872	61.17	.0129	1.205	
179	.629	610	1.37	6897	2675	796	488	801	3726	1777	1586	1484	56.27	57.07	.8515	2.376	3852	24.7	1786	61.63	.0142	1.197	
180	.618	620	1.37	6897	3295	802	488	811	3903	1897	1687	1602	56.59	57.51	.8453	2.300	3718	24.1	2111	61.21	.0162	1.184	
181	.618	612	1.37	6553	1535	---	486	750	2946	1500	1104	1058	56.44	58.87	.8071	2.686	4083	28.0	1447	61.18	.0081	1.228	
182	.622	605	1.37	6553	1886	---	488	741	3017	1577	1174	1155	56.70	58.17	.8009	2.570	3975	25.4	1587	60.71	.0081	1.213	
183	.629	605	1.37	6553	1890	---	487	747	3114	1485	1255	1217	51.91	52.44	.8013	2.481	3884	24.8	1826	61.06	.0101	1.202	
184	.634	605	1.37	6553	2080	---	487	751	3186	1535	1328	1280	52.09	58.57	.8176	2.403	3782	24.0	1703	61.44	.0111	1.198	
185	.627	612	1.37	6553	2215	---	486	750	3285	1570	1571	1522	52.43	53.06	.7978	2.374	3759	23.8	1747	61.38	.0117	1.188	
186	.624	605	1.37	6808	1156	---	484	688	2459	1183	853	845	46.08	48.41	.8050	2.590	3948	24.4	1280	60.30	.0089	1.223	
187	.629	603	1.37	5808	1505	---	488	695	2524	1255	1027	1058	45.92	46.28	.8108	2.458	3796	25.8	1587	61.25	.0079	1.209	
188	.626	608	1.37	5808	1479	---	486	702	2607	1325	1095	1111	45.88	48.07	.7842	2.581	3702	22.7	1472	60.75	.0090	1.191	
189	.634	609	1.37	5808	1602	---	484	704	2680	1380	1151	1171	46.31	46.78	.7716	2.511	3634	22.8	1544	57.95	.0098	1.178	
190	.630	605	1.37	5808	1720	---	485	709	2702	1440	1185	1224	45.59	46.17	.7796	2.280	3559	22.1	1614	61.47	.0105	1.176	
191	.619	608	1.37	4718	717	787	483	614	1615	987	753	841	55.07	53.27	.7792	2.148	3482	19.8	1108	60.63	.0080	1.174	
192	.625	609	1.37	4718	743	793	483	614	1628	1003	788	857	55.51	55.82	.7790	2.120	3425	19.5	1124	61.12	.0082	1.170	
193	.647	605	1.37	4718	851	801	484	818	1692	1067	829	920	35.24	35.40	.7794	2.041	3528	18.4	1184	60.67	.0071	1.180	
194	.628	603	1.37	4718	817	788	488	628	1698	1150	882	998	32.14	32.38	.8072	1.970	3212	18.0	1282	60.88	.0079	1.158	
195	.650	603	1.37	4718	1050	801	482	627	1780	1200	930	1083	52.08	52.38	.6094	1.925	3150	13.3	1549	59.07	.0091	1.108	
196	.626	596	1.37	3830	888	778	452	548	1083	820	858	758	55.27	53.87	.7704	1.648	2904	12.8	922	58.83	.0069	1.111	
197	.618	605	1.37	3830	817	781	453	548	1110	850	877	767	53.48	52.63	.7597	1.640	2654	15.0	955	57.88	.0073	1.108	
198	.525	597	1.37	3830	855	777	483	551	1158	917	711	854	22.85	23.11	.7458	1.801	2752	12.1	1029	57.58	.0079	1.100	
199	.633	610	1.37	3830	875	788	482	553	1179	948	741	857	25.29	25.58	.7752	1.581	2713	12.3	1082	57.85	.0080	1.103	
200	.626	608	1.67	7280	2245	791	456	765	1588	1530	1267	1239	52.52	58.14	.8456	2.895	4324	27.7	1741	62.26	.0108	1.235	
201	.616	612	1.67	7260	2375	791	459	787	1532	1580	1337	1302	57.23	57.88	.8289	2.637	4246	26.7	1797	62.28	.0115	1.221	
202	.623	610	1.67	7280	2500	785	458	790	1574	1850	1384	1389	57.35	58.04	.8259	2.582	4172	26.1	1865	62.80	.0121	1.214	
203	.627	608	1.67	7280	2625	782	456	792	1622	1850	1369	1376	58.12	58.12	.8418	2.635	4176	26.1	1868	62.04	.0127	1.214	
204	.621	610	1.67	7280	2785	791	458	798	1688	1720	1471	1487	57.16	57.63	.8260	2.505	4087	28.4	1947	62.21	.0135	1.205	
205	.623	607	1.67	7280	3080	789	450	808	3744	1810	1507	1561	56.81	57.57	.8558	2.411	4000	25.2	2042	62.84	.0151	1.201	
206	.623	608	1.67	6897	1995	780	460	766	----	1443	1258	1178	56.40	58.95	----	----	4222	26.8	1828	----	.0098	1.225	
207	.623	608	1.67	6897	2270	790	460	766	3407	1548	1277	1258	57.01	57.01	.8167	2.554	4088	25.8	1746	62.55	.0112	1.212	
208	.624	608	1.67	6897	2660	790	459	775	3525	1645	1441	1370	56.50	57.21	.8187	2.445	3974	24.8	1857	62.70	.0126	1.199	
209	.619	614	1.37	6897	2845	795	458	780	3850	1730	1448	1448	56.75	57.54	.8393	2.388	3882	24.0	1958	62.88	.0139	1.195	
210	.625	608	1.67	6897	3015	791	458	787	3724	1793	1601	1566	56.28	57.12	.8449	2.326	3817	23.9	2028	62.07	.0149	1.191	
211	.621	610	1.67	6353	1525	791	459	791	2945	1870	1132	1031	52.88	53.51	.8353	2.600	4128	26.3	1435	60.96	.0088	1.232	
212	.625	610	1.67	6353	1990	794	452	755	3045	1428	1234	1185	52.64	53.18	.8112	2.468	3907	24.6	1605	62.55	.0098	1.205	
213	.621	608	1.67	6353	2100	788	459	756	3130	1500	1315	1287	52.28	52.86	.8088	2.380	3820	25.8	1695	62.08	.0112	1.193	
214	.625	608	1.67	6353	2220	791	459	758	3172	1545	1357	1298	52.42	53.04	.8198	2.358	3788	23.6	1744	62.41	.0116	1.191	
215	.621	608	1.67	6353	2410	789	459	745	3263	1820	1428	1355	52.18	52.85	.8306	2.288	3698	22.9	1831	62.04	.0128	1.187	
216	.626	610	1.67	5808	1209	794	452	681	2432	1180	971	939	46.70	47.04	.8333	2.505	3854	24.6	1293	61.67	.0072	1.225	
217	.625	608	1.67	5808	1501	792	461	684	2476	1200	1009	987	46.56	48.92	.8267	2.454	3878	24.0	1351	61.84	.0078	1.218	
218	.624	608	1.67	5808	1427	792	461	686	2652	1287	1081	1087	46.45	46.85	.8084	2.346	3579	23.2	1427	62.14	.0085	1.199	
219	.624	610	1.67	5808	1660	784	460	590	2577	1350	1112	1123	46.52	46.96	.7882	2.317	3593	22.2	15				



TABLE I. - VARIABLE-AREA TURBINE PERFORMANCE - Concluded

Run	Altitude (ft)	M ₀	P ₀ (lb sq ft)	Turbine nozzle area (sq ft)	N (rpm)	W _f (lb) hr ⁻¹	P ₂ (lb) sq ft	T ₂ (°R)	T ₄ (°R)	P ₅ (lb) sq ft	T ₅ (°R)	P ₆ (lb) sq ft	T ₆ (°R)	W _{a,1} (lb) sec	W _{a,5} (lb) sec	η _t	P _s /P ₆	N/ W _f (rpm)	ΔH _t Btu (lb)	T ₅ (°R)	W _{a,5} √ W _f (lb) sec	W _f W _{a,1} (3800)	T ₅ / T ₆
224	30,000	0.618	604	1.67	4719	960	781	458	615	1673	1130	856	968	32.22	32.43	0.7604	1.954	3239	16.8	1279	61.43	0.0063	1.144
225		.642	605	1.67	4719	1160	795	457	623	1816	1263	960	1121	31.65	31.97	.7252	1.892	3074	16.8	1435	58.06	.0102	1.127
226		.624	606	1.67	3650	610	791	459	543	1097	827	—	755	24.24	24.41	—	—	2892	12.0	935	58.74	.0070	1.098
227		.619	610	1.67	3650	620	790	459	543	1102	840	681	765	24.22	24.39	.7116	1.618	2870	11.8	849	59.92	.0071	1.098
228		.629	607	1.67	3650	640	792	458	542	1111	855	691	782	24.31	24.49	.6904	1.608	2847	11.6	966	60.21	.0073	1.093
229		.621	608	1.67	3650	670	784	458	544	1129	900	714	826	23.78	23.98	.6894	1.581	2777	11.0	1019	58.61	.0078	1.091
230		.625	609	1.67	3650	735	792	459	549	1174	975	746	893	23.10	23.50	.7213	1.574	2873	11.3	1102	58.10	.0088	1.092
231	40,000	0.541	376	1.20	7260	1252	408	436	680	1997	1467	695	1251	30.69	31.04	.6167	2.873	4408	21.4	1746	58.47	.0113	1.173
232		.527	375	1.20	7260	1370	404	436	786	2045	1643	728	1535	30.20	30.58	.8131	2.809	4182	27.9	1955	57.76	.0126	1.231
233		.544	376	1.20	7260	1439	408	435	—	2096	—	747	1389	30.52	30.82	—	—	2808	—	—	—	.0151	—
234		.512	378	1.20	5887	1170	405	434	897	1911	1430	886	1201	30.11	30.44	.6688	2.868	4239	23.4	1712	57.09	.0108	1.191
235		.541	395	1.20	6897	1851	428	434	707	2238	1680	855	1442	31.41	31.87	.6812	2.614	3854	20.8	2011	55.76	.0146	1.165
236		.544	375	1.20	5855	948	407	433	675	1699	1298	810	1082	28.62	28.88	.7000	2.785	4088	23.6	1556	57.84	.0092	1.200
237		.544	375	1.20	5855	1187	407	434	668	1823	1468	895	1264	28.58	28.91	.6501	2.623	3857	20.7	1757	57.86	.0116	1.181
238		.541	375	1.20	5808	791	406	435	670	1436	1248	543	1028	24.75	24.97	.7782	2.845	3904	24.0	1488	57.95	.0069	1.214
239		.541	376	1.20	5808	970	408	434	665	1489	1415	807	1207	24.23	24.50	.7050	2.453	3590	21.0	1694	58.84	.0111	1.172
240		.540	375	1.30	7280	1351	406	442	677	1942	1515	597	1306	30.59	30.95	.5963	2.786	4345	19.7	1780	58.90	.0121	1.160
241		.587	391	1.30	7280	1445	421	437	667	2047	1542	752	1340	31.67	32.07	.5802	2.722	4311	18.4	1832	58.46	.0127	1.151
242		.503	392	1.30	7280	1562	418	440	670	2095	1822	793	1420	31.32	31.75	.5722	2.642	4211	18.5	1912	58.11	.0139	1.142
243		.534	398	1.30	7280	1717	417	441	740	2146	1775	834	1510	30.99	31.47	.7126	2.573	4038	22.3	2089	58.01	.0154	1.175
244		.283	387	1.30	6887	1280	409	436	688	1891	1442	889	1239	30.40	30.74	.6122	2.745	4224	20.6	1719	58.53	.0112	1.164
245		.526	403	1.30	6887	1861	434	458	675	2029	1500	765	1289	32.10	32.48	.6526	2.652	4147	20.8	1773	58.87	.0118	1.164
246		.528	394	1.30	6887	1520	424	437	671	2051	1608	808	1398	31.44	31.86	.6190	2.581	4015	19.0	1910	58.86	.0134	1.150
247		.511	383	1.30	6887	1822	409	435	672	2052	1890	830	1481	30.21	30.66	.6100	2.474	3928	18.1	2014	58.82	.0149	1.141
248		.527	372	1.30	6855	869	401	436	871	1543	1328	808	1108	28.29	28.56	.7030	2.898	4058	22.8	1573	58.75	.0095	1.183
249		.551	379	1.30	6855	1100	413	435	672	1742	1598	870	1190	28.99	29.30	.6742	2.600	3948	21.6	1666	58.66	.0105	1.175
250		.581	368	1.30	5808	904	407	435	661	1400	1240	546	1030	25.18	25.40	.7617	2.564	3815	23.3	1478	60.28	.0089	1.204
251		.538	374	1.30	5808	970	405	435	669	1480	1405	813	1200	24.22	24.49	.7120	2.582	3803	21.2	1671	58.61	.0111	1.168
252		.541	374	1.67	7280	1425	405	435	778	1884	1857	714	1338	30.72	31.12	.8424	2.659	4192	27.0	1948	63.44	.0129	1.225
253		.548	373	1.67	7280	1620	405	438	785	1996	1797	789	1493	30.45	30.90	.8306	2.496	4015	28.4	2131	62.71	.0148	1.204
254		.538	373	1.67	7260	1750	416	437	791	2041	1870	834	1562	30.52	31.01	.8343	2.447	3941	25.0	2222	62.87	.0159	1.197
255		.257	389	1.67	6887	1350	407	436	747	1807	1550	882	1278	30.25	30.62	.8039	2.811	4085	26.9	1845	63.39	.0122	1.213
256		.541	375	1.67	6887	1562	407	438	765	1925	1755	790	1469	30.15	30.56	.8195	2.434	3855	24.4	2081	63.50	.0144	1.186
257		.538	362	1.67	6887	1725	414	439	771	2023	1823	834	1539	30.60	31.08	.7957	2.414	3787	23.8	2155	62.70	.0157	1.185
258		.538	374	1.67	6855	1052	403	439	670	1524	1370	539	1168	28.48	28.77	.5878	2.541	3883	21.6	1619	62.03	.0103	1.175
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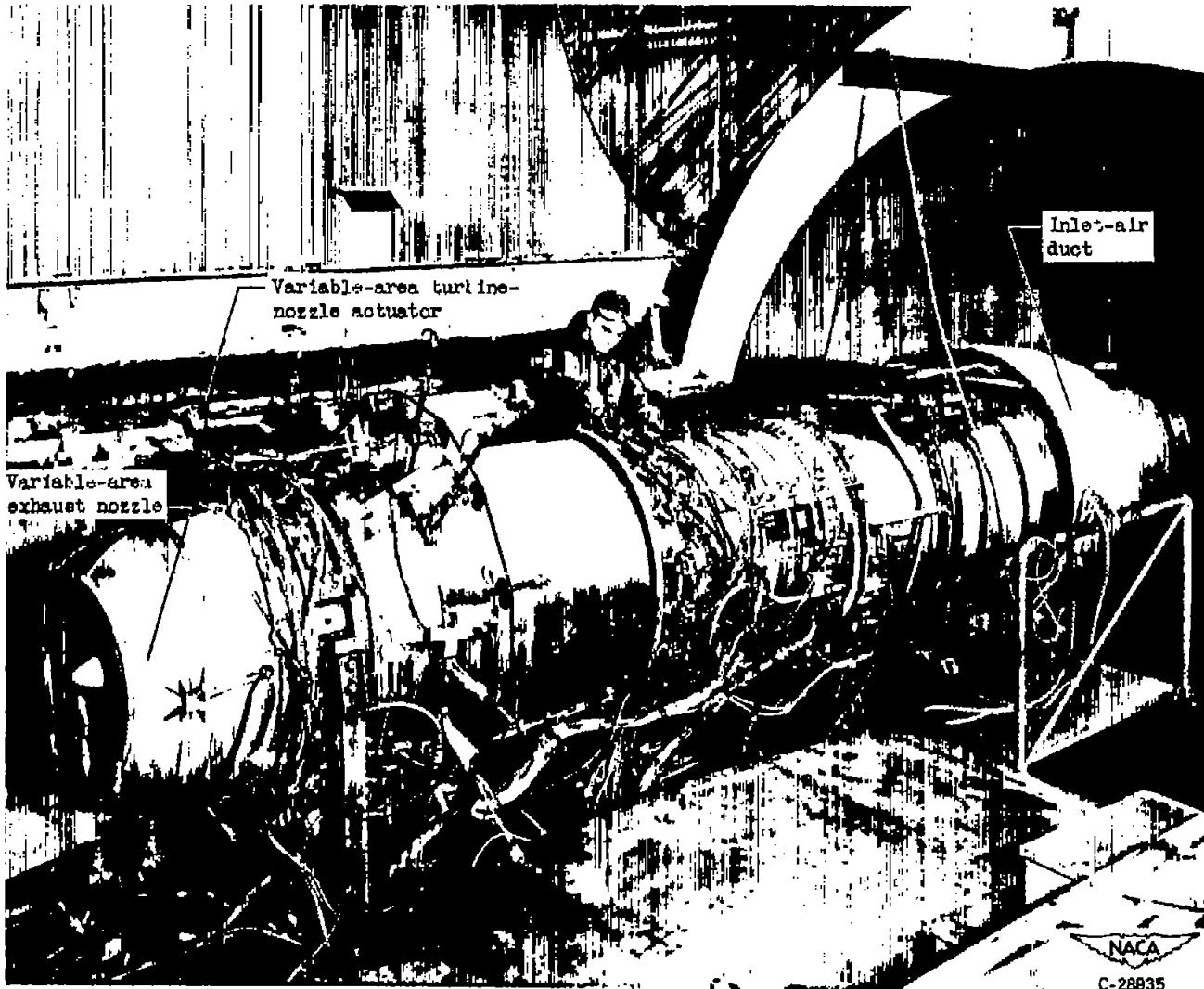
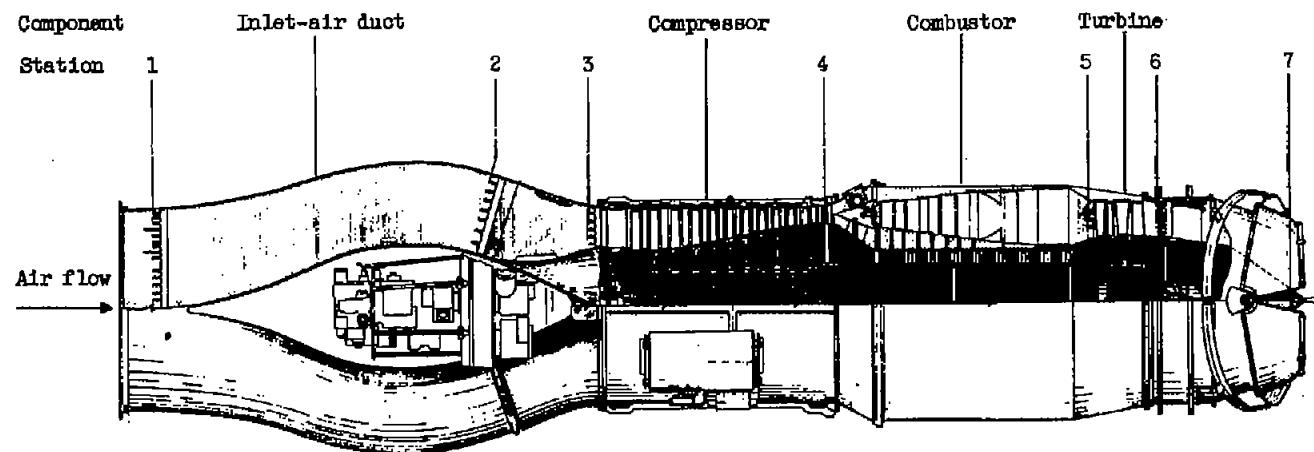


Figure 1. - Installation of turbojet engine in altitude wind tunnel.

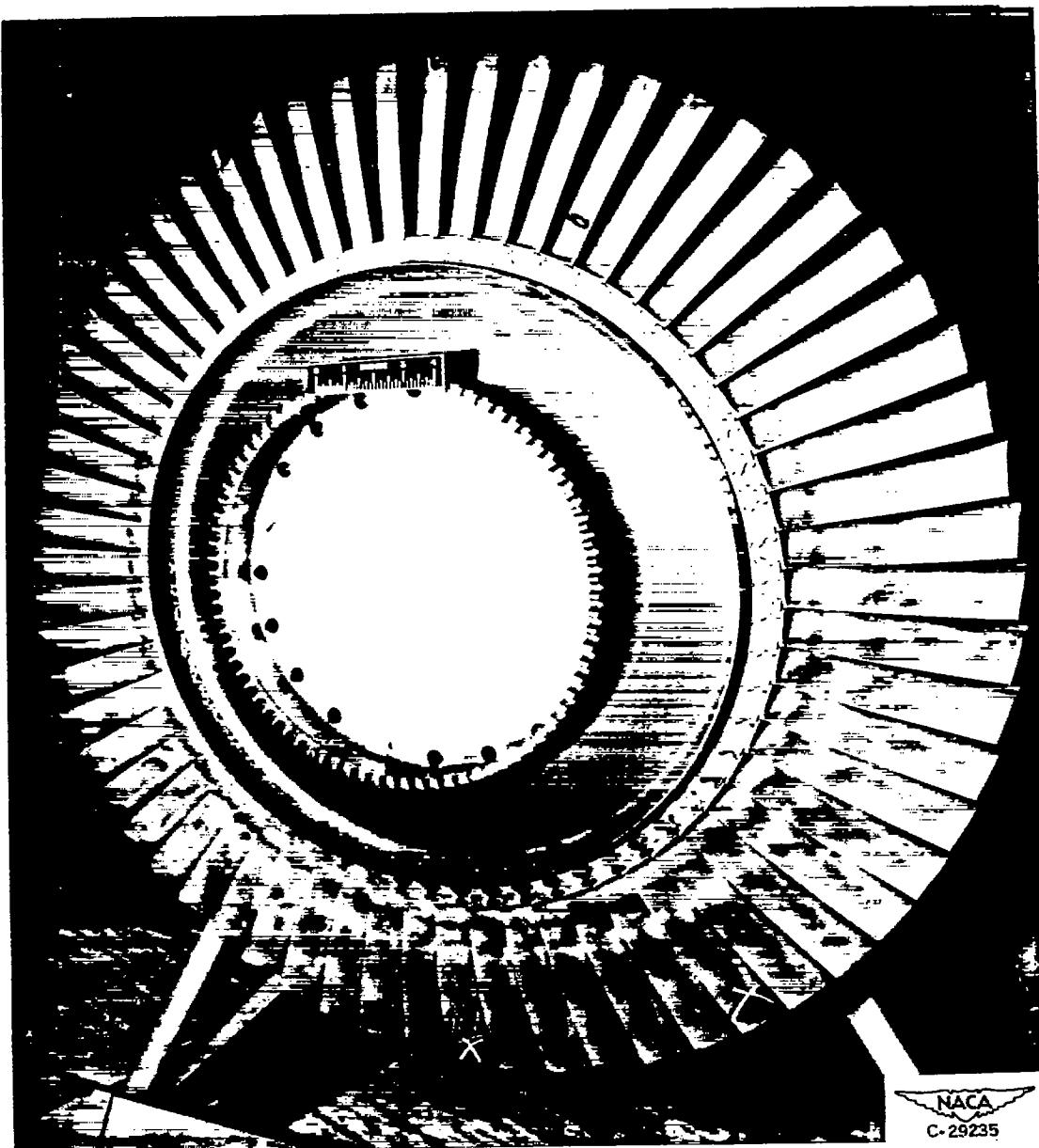


Station	Location	Total pressure tubes	Static pressure tubes	Wall static pressure orifices	Thermo-couples
1	Inlet-air duct	29	12	4	10
2	Engine inlet	18	0	4	0
3	Compressor inlet	23	5	7	0
4	Compressor outlet	15	0	2	6
5	Turbine inlet	5	0	0	0
6	Turbine outlet	20	0	8	24
7	Exhaust-nozzle outlet	16	2	8	0

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Figure 2. - Top view of turbojet-engine installation showing stations at which instrumentation was installed

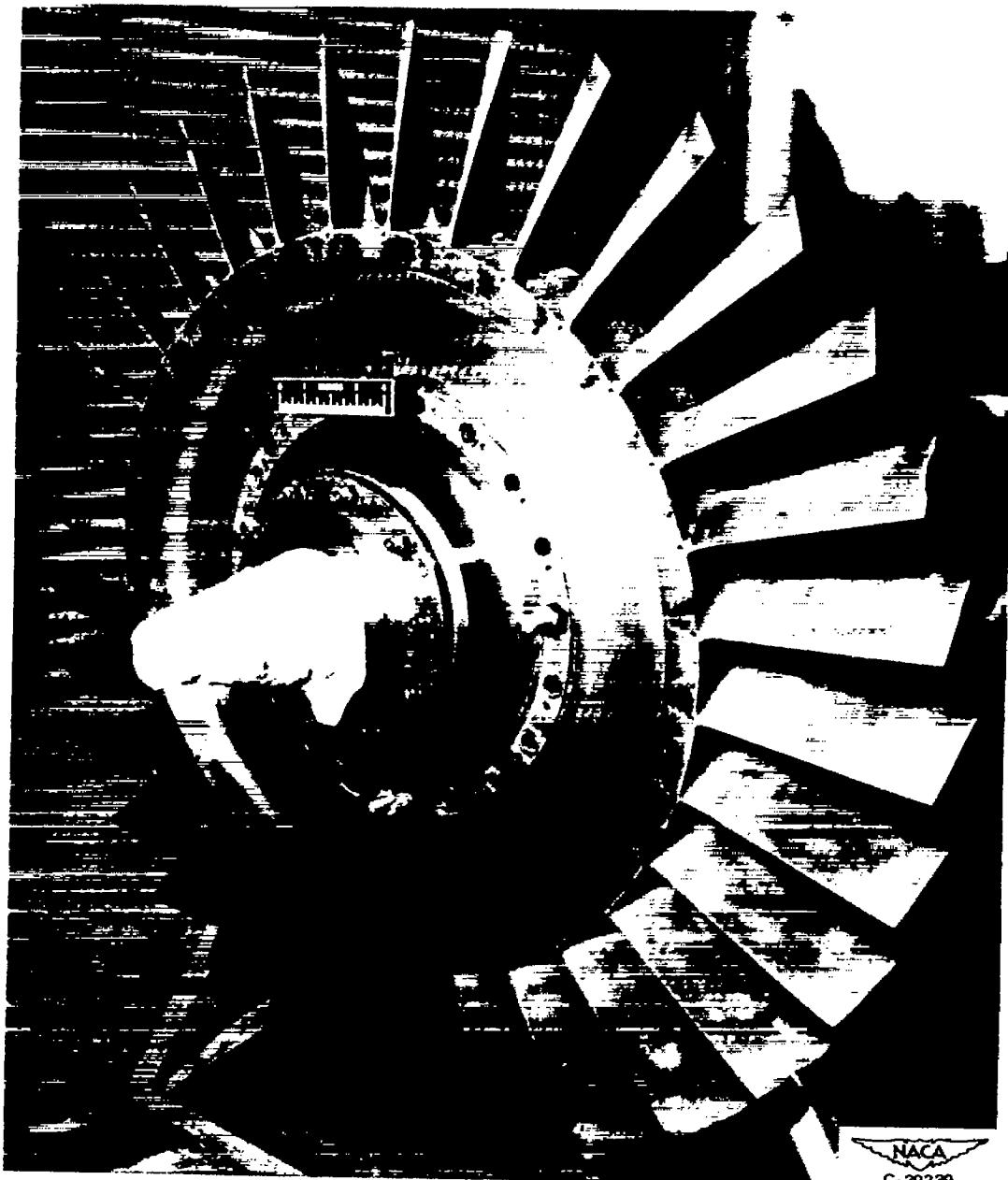
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(a) First-stage turbine rotor.

Figure 3. - Photographs of turbine rotors.

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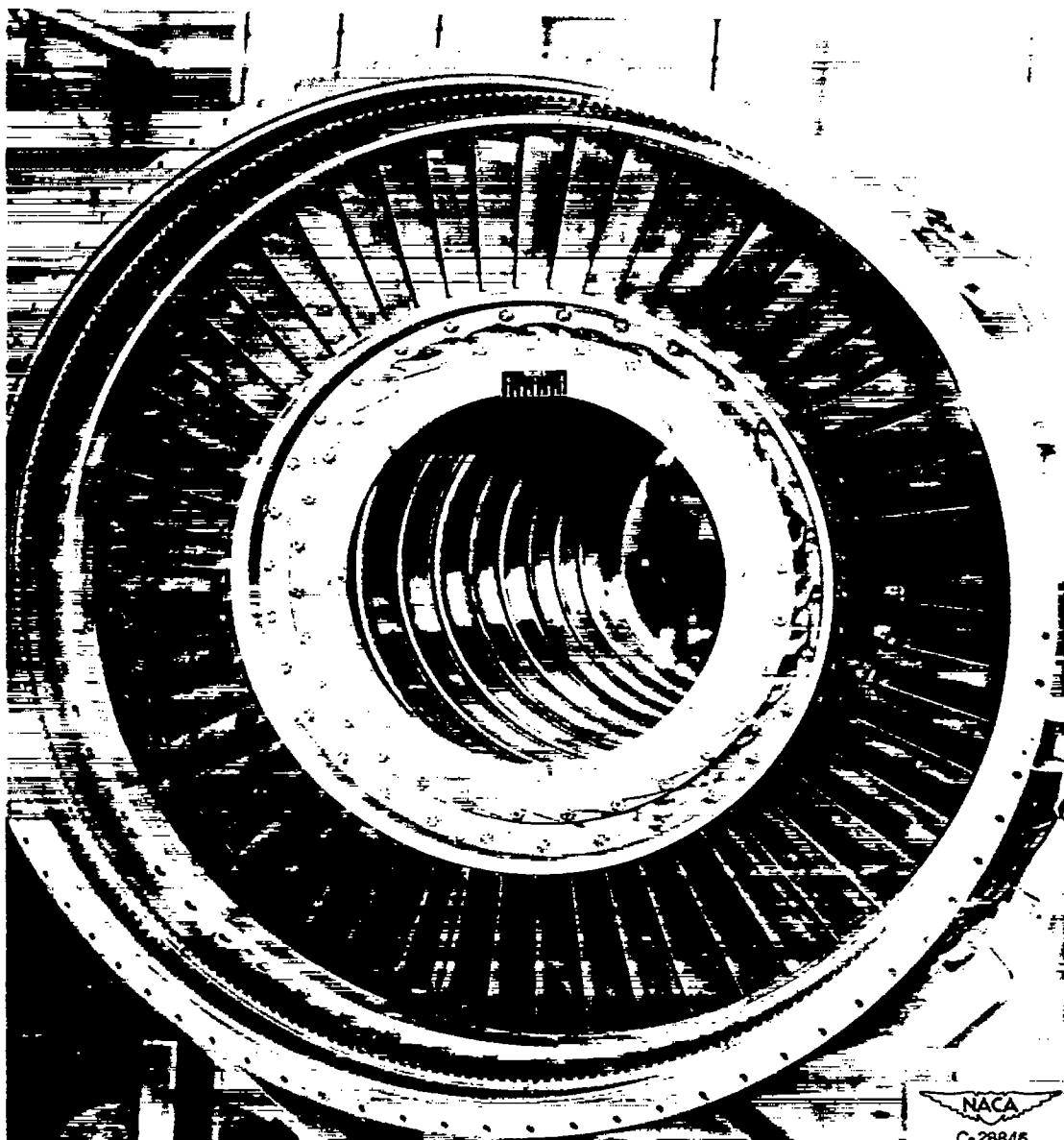


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(b) Second-stage turbine rotor.

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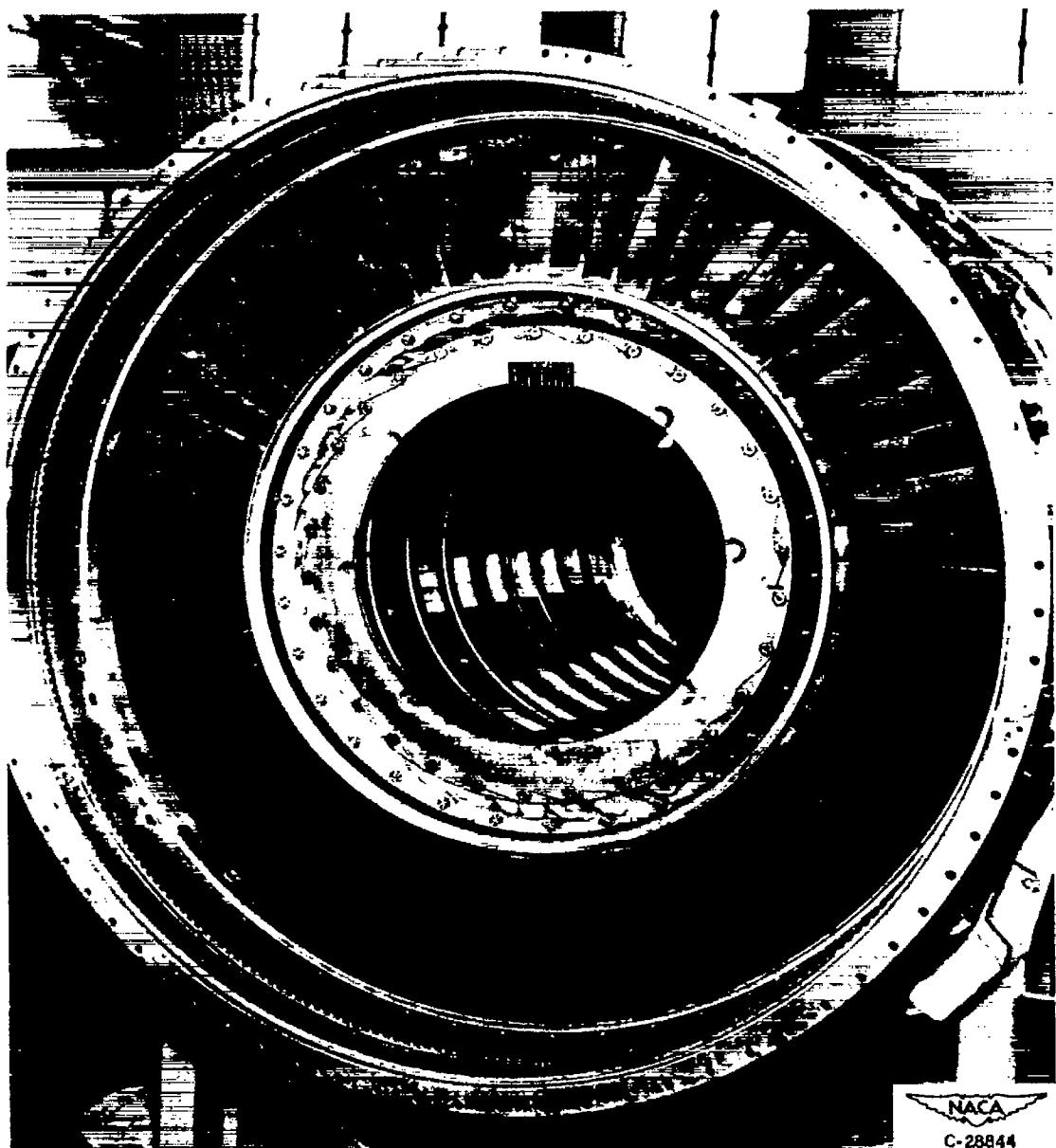


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(a) Open.

Figure 4. - Photographs of variable-area turbine nozzles.

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(b) Closed.

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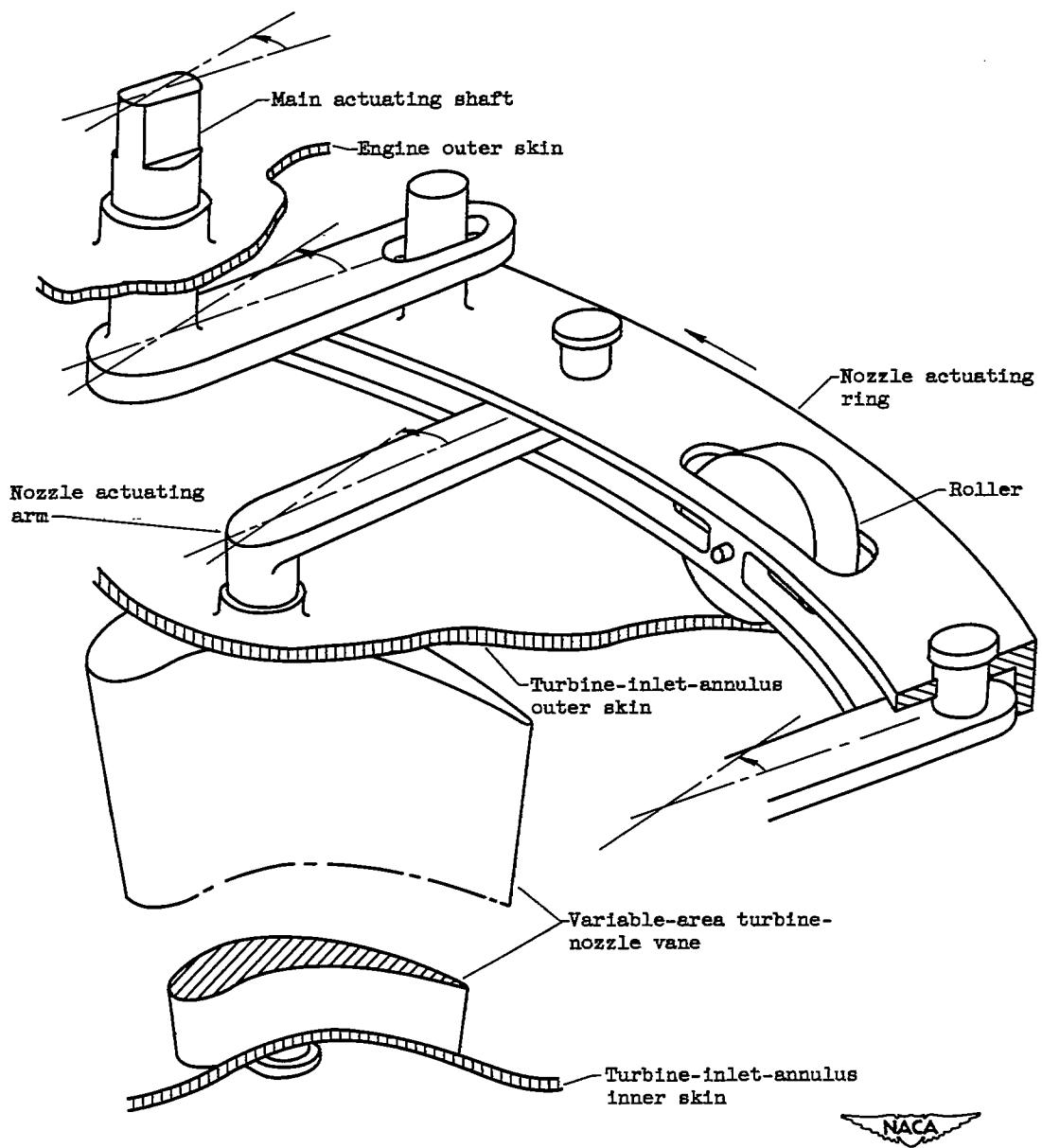
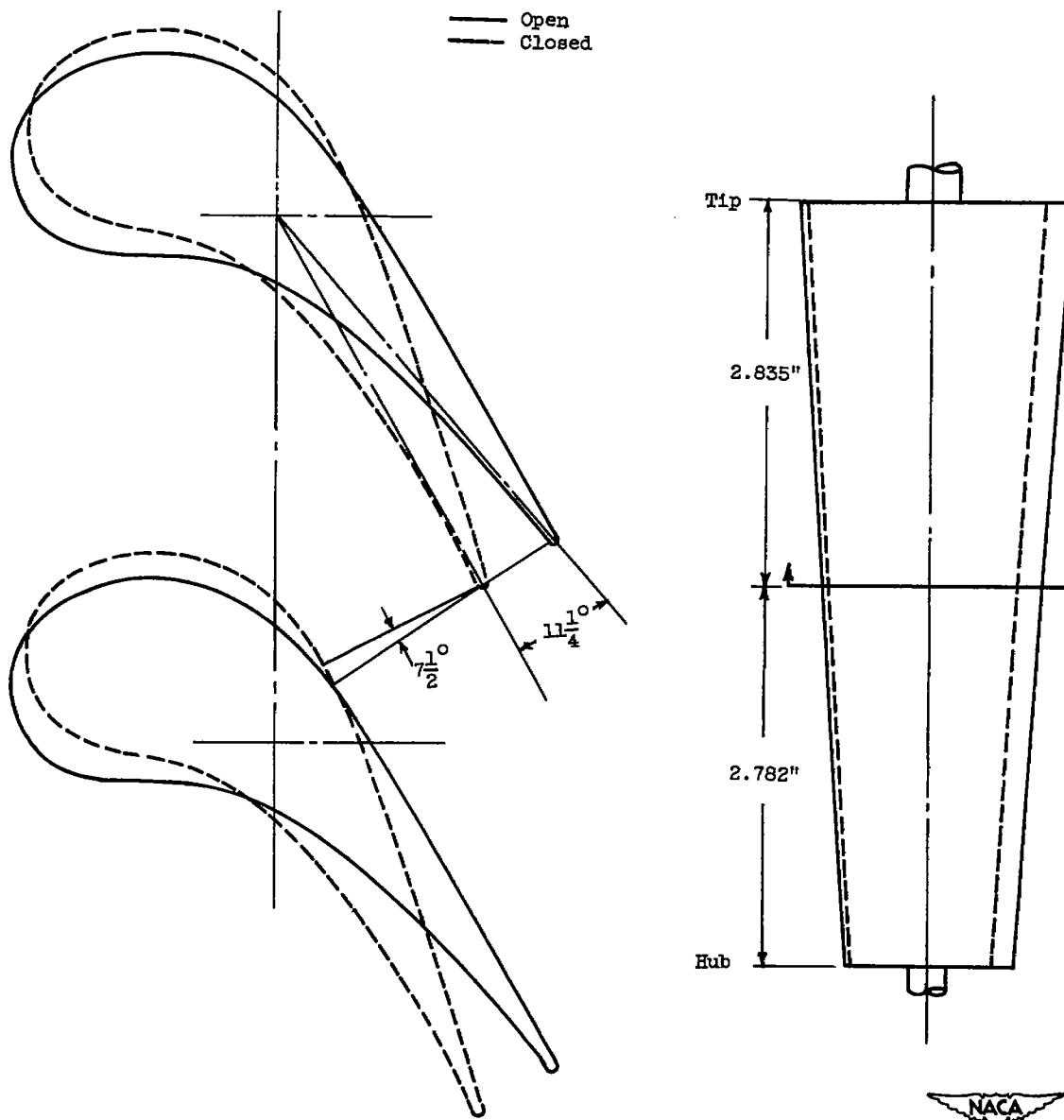


Figure 5. - Schematic sketch of variable-area turbine-nozzle actuating mechanism.

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(a) Mid-vane cross-sections of two adjacent vanes ($2\frac{1}{2}$ times actual size).

(b) Side view of vane (actual size).

Figure 6. - Sketches of variable-area turbine-nozzle vanes in open and closed positions.

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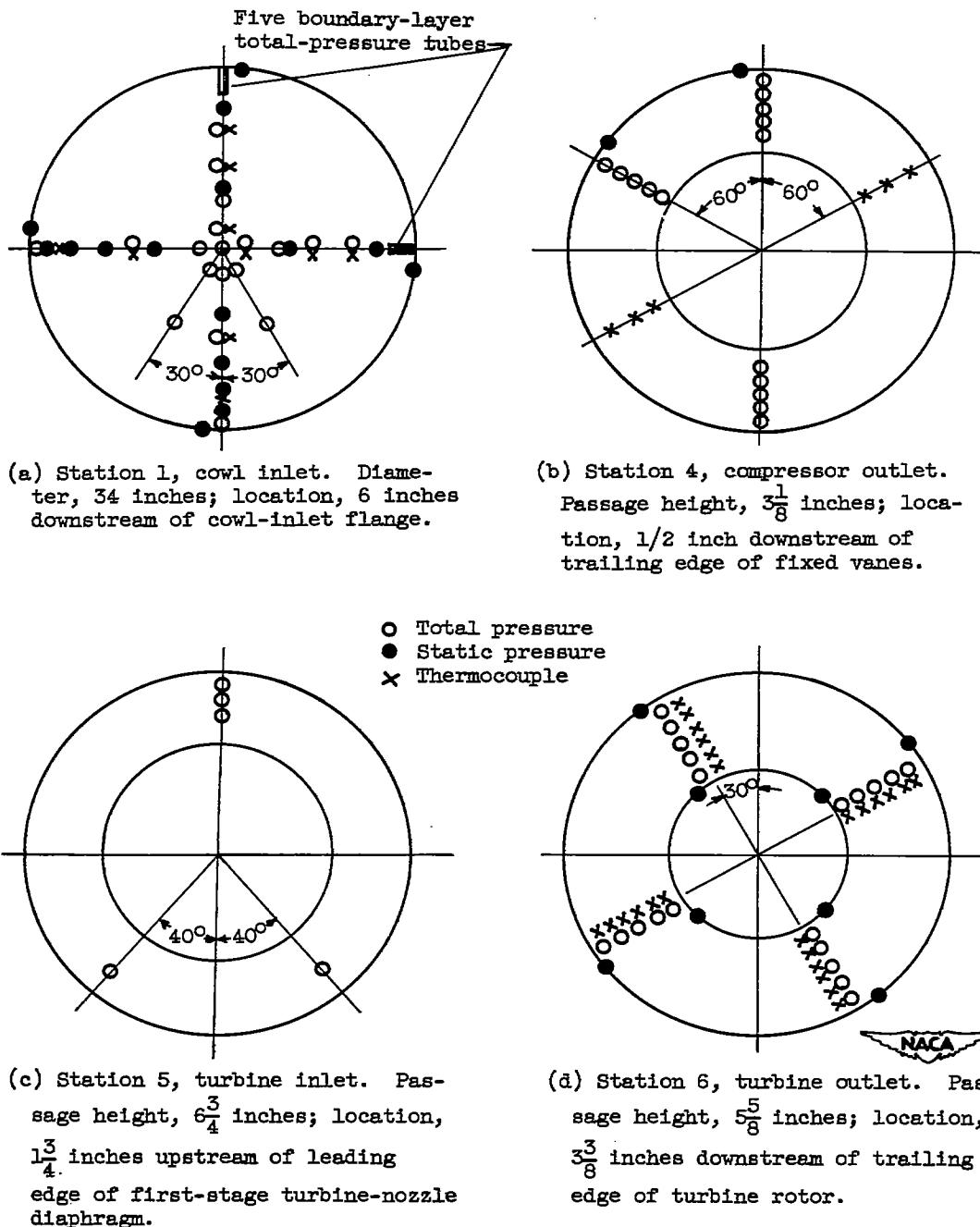


Figure 7. - Location of instrumentation (view looking downstream).

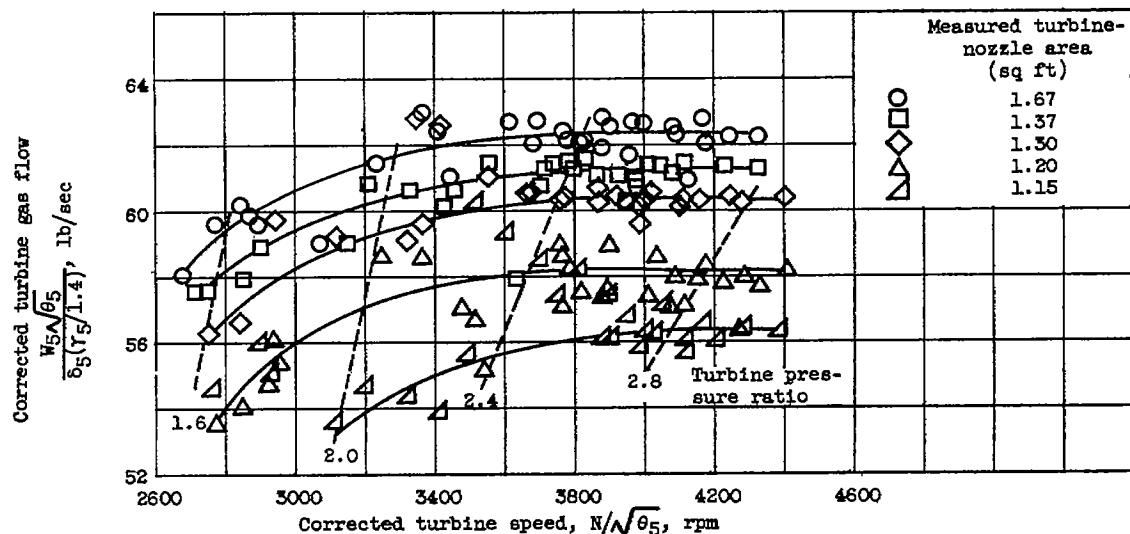


Figure 8. - Effect of turbine-nozzle area and corrected turbine speed on corrected turbine gas flow. Altitude, 30,000 feet; flight Mach number, 0.62.

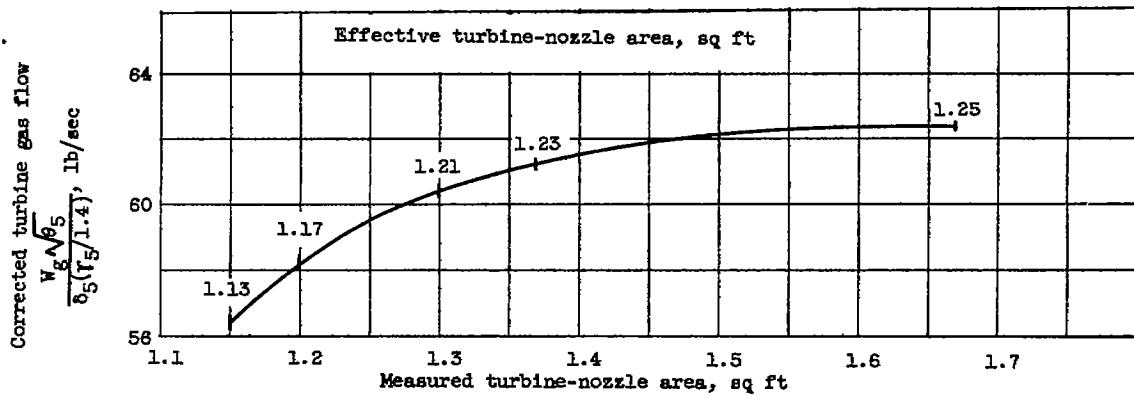


Figure 9. - Variation of maximum corrected turbine gas flow or effective turbine-nozzle area with measured turbine-nozzle area. Altitude 30,000 feet; flight Mach number, 0.62.

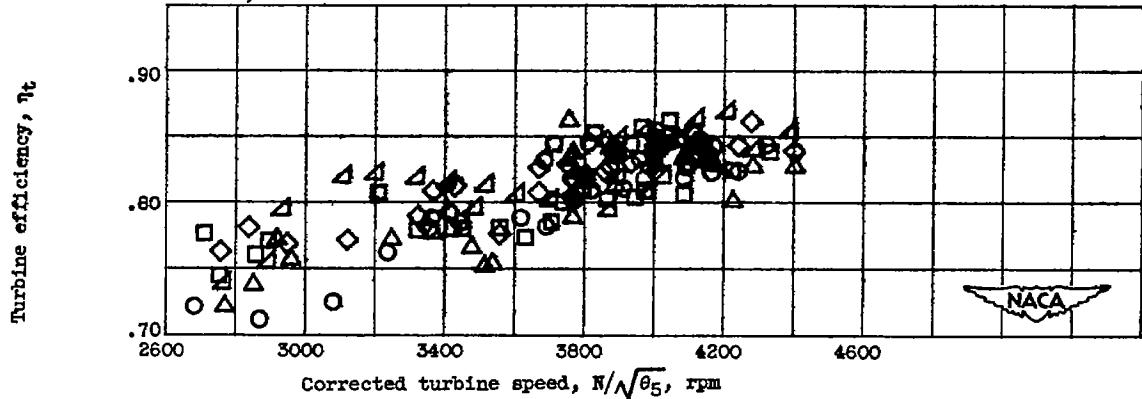
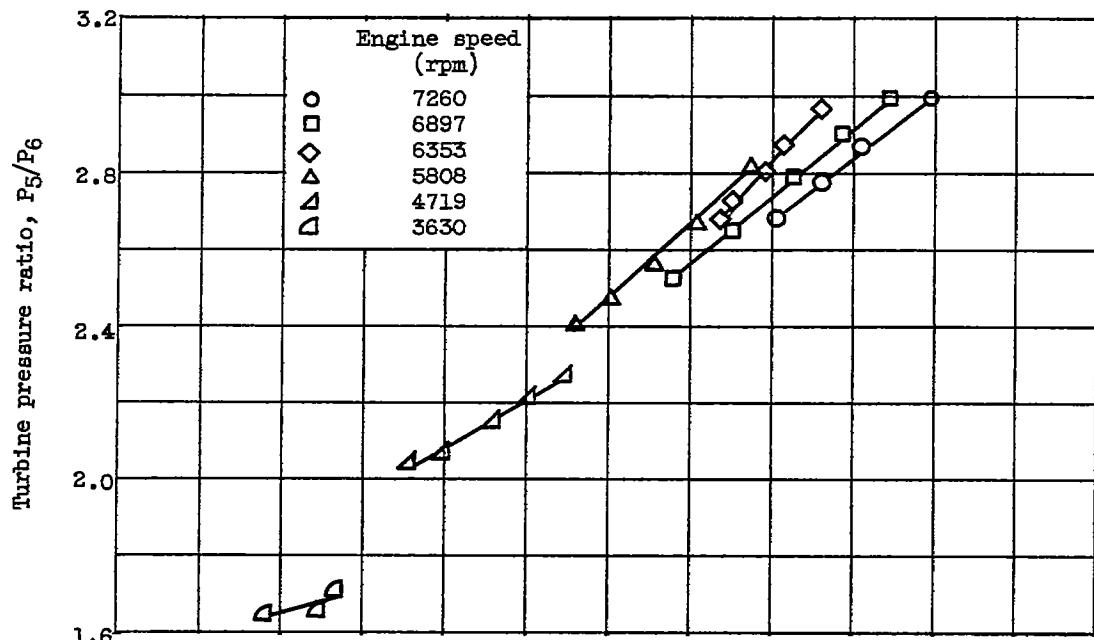
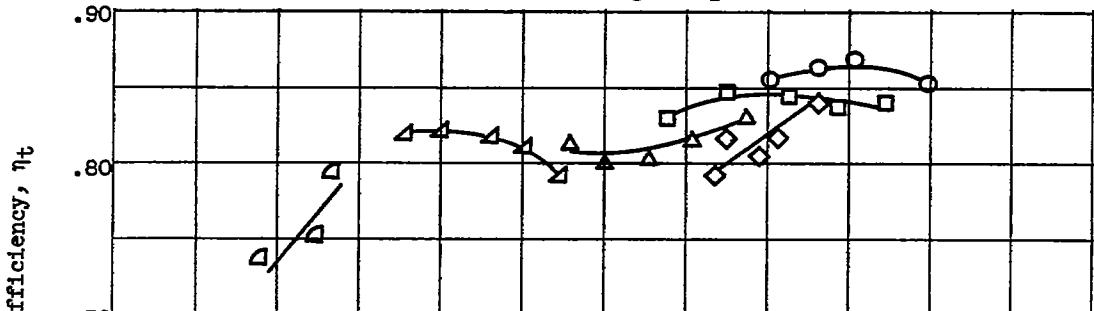


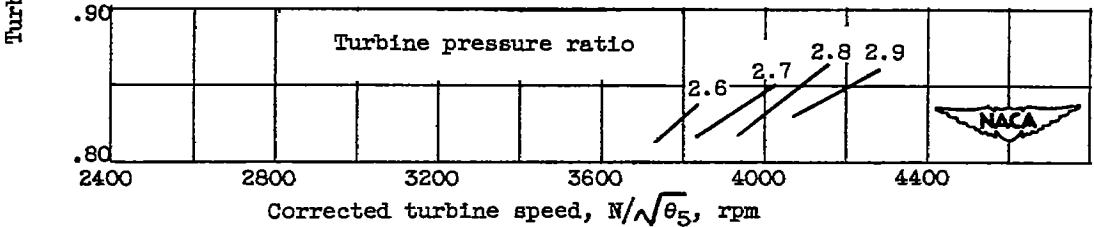
Figure 10. - Effect of turbine-nozzle area and corrected turbine speed on turbine efficiency. Altitude, 30,000 feet; flight Mach number, 0.62.



(a) Variation of turbine pressure ratio with corrected turbine speed at constant engine speeds.



(b) Variation of turbine efficiency with corrected turbine speed at constant engine speeds.



(c) Cross plots showing variation of turbine efficiency with corrected turbine speed at constant values of turbine pressure ratio.

Figure 11. - Effect of various parameters on turbine pressure ratio and turbine efficiency. Altitude, 30,000 feet; flight Mach number, 0.62; turbine nozzle area, 1.15 square feet.

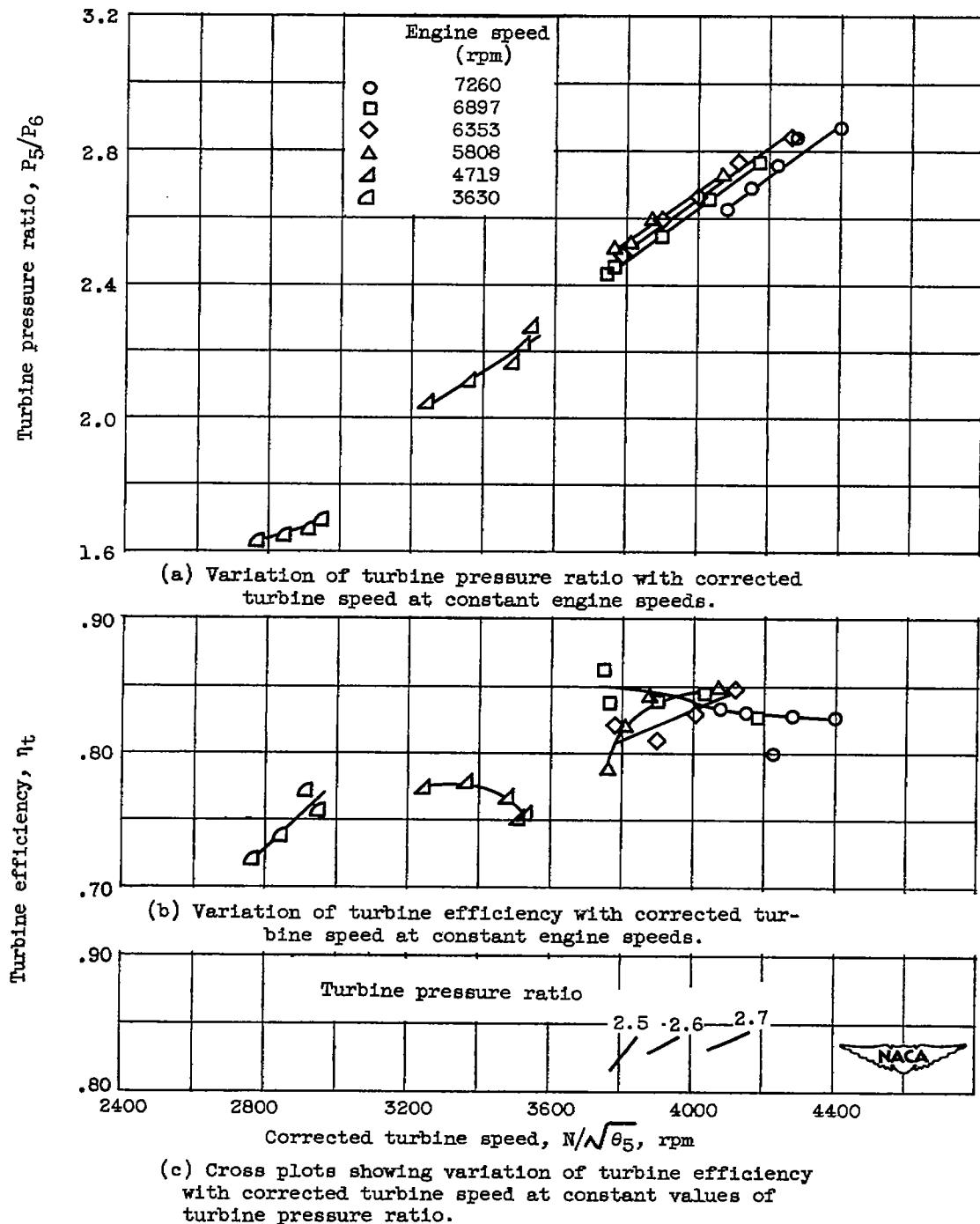


Figure 12. - Effect of various parameters on turbine pressure ratio and turbine efficiency. Altitude, 30,000 feet; flight Mach number, 0.62; turbine nozzle area, 1.20 square feet.

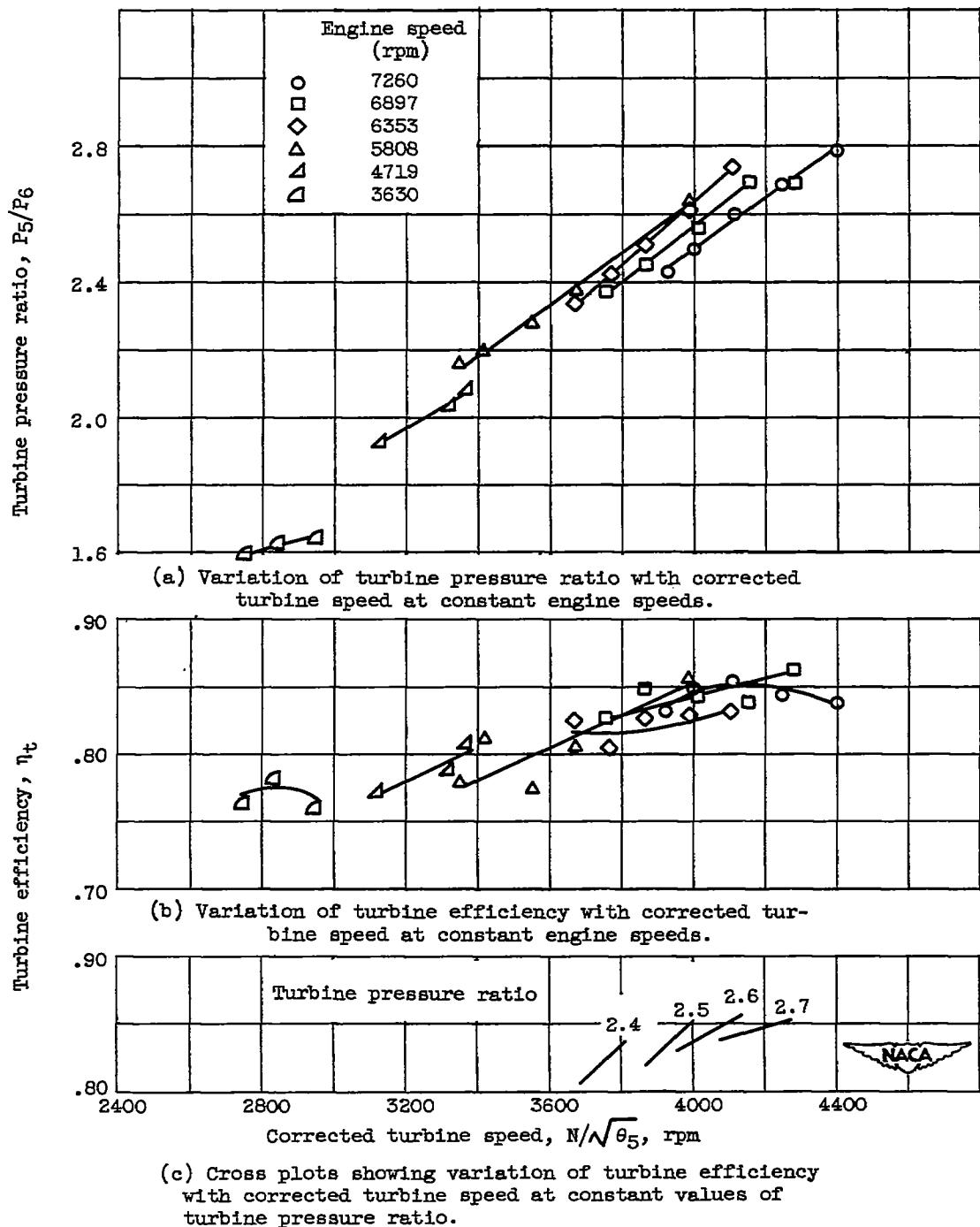


Figure 13. - Effect of various parameters on turbine pressure ratio and turbine efficiency. Altitude, 30,000 feet; flight Mach number, 0.62; turbine nozzle area, 1.30 square feet.

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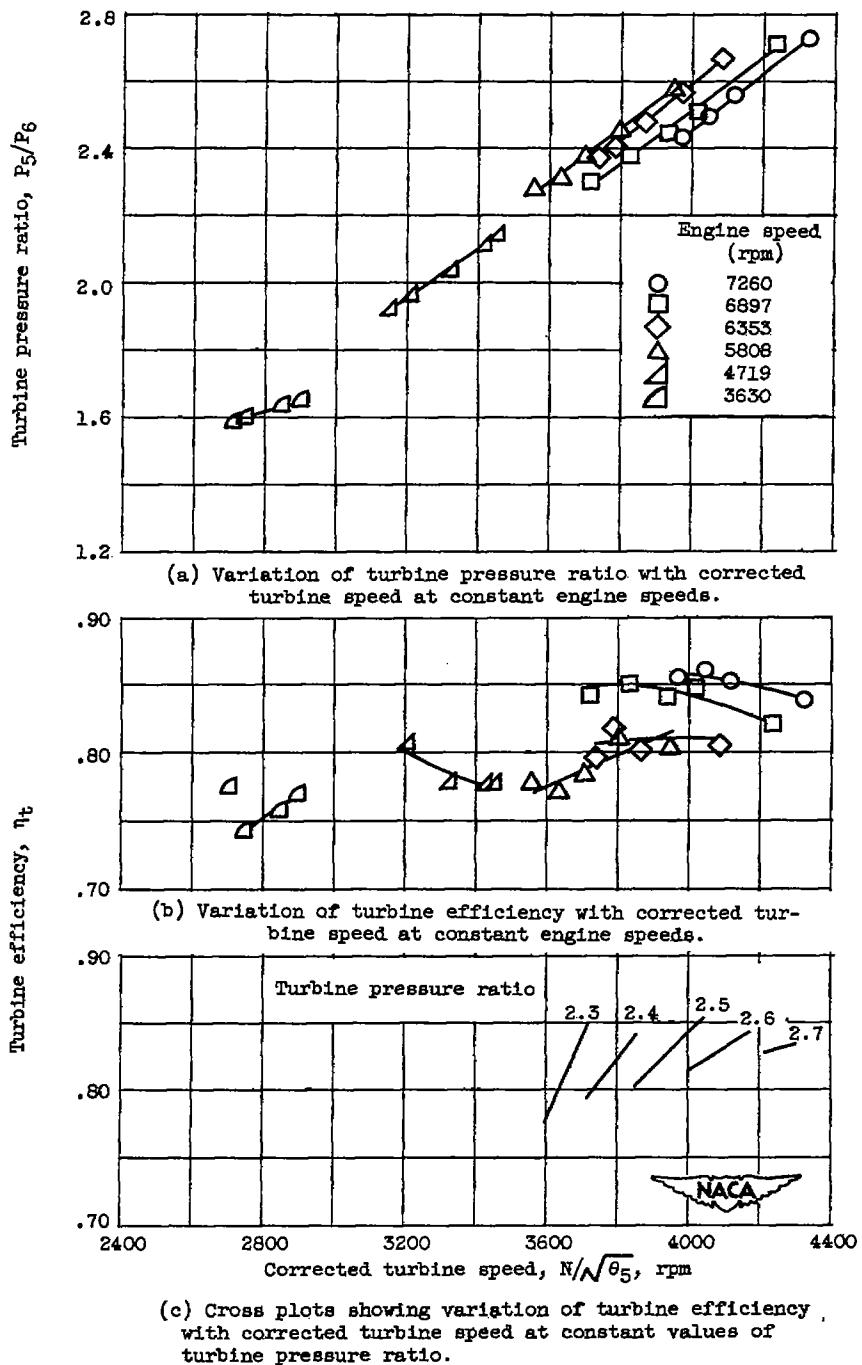


Figure 14. - Effect of various parameters on turbine pressure ratio and turbine efficiency.
Altitude, 30,000 feet; flight Mach number, 0.62; turbine nozzle area, 1.37 square feet.

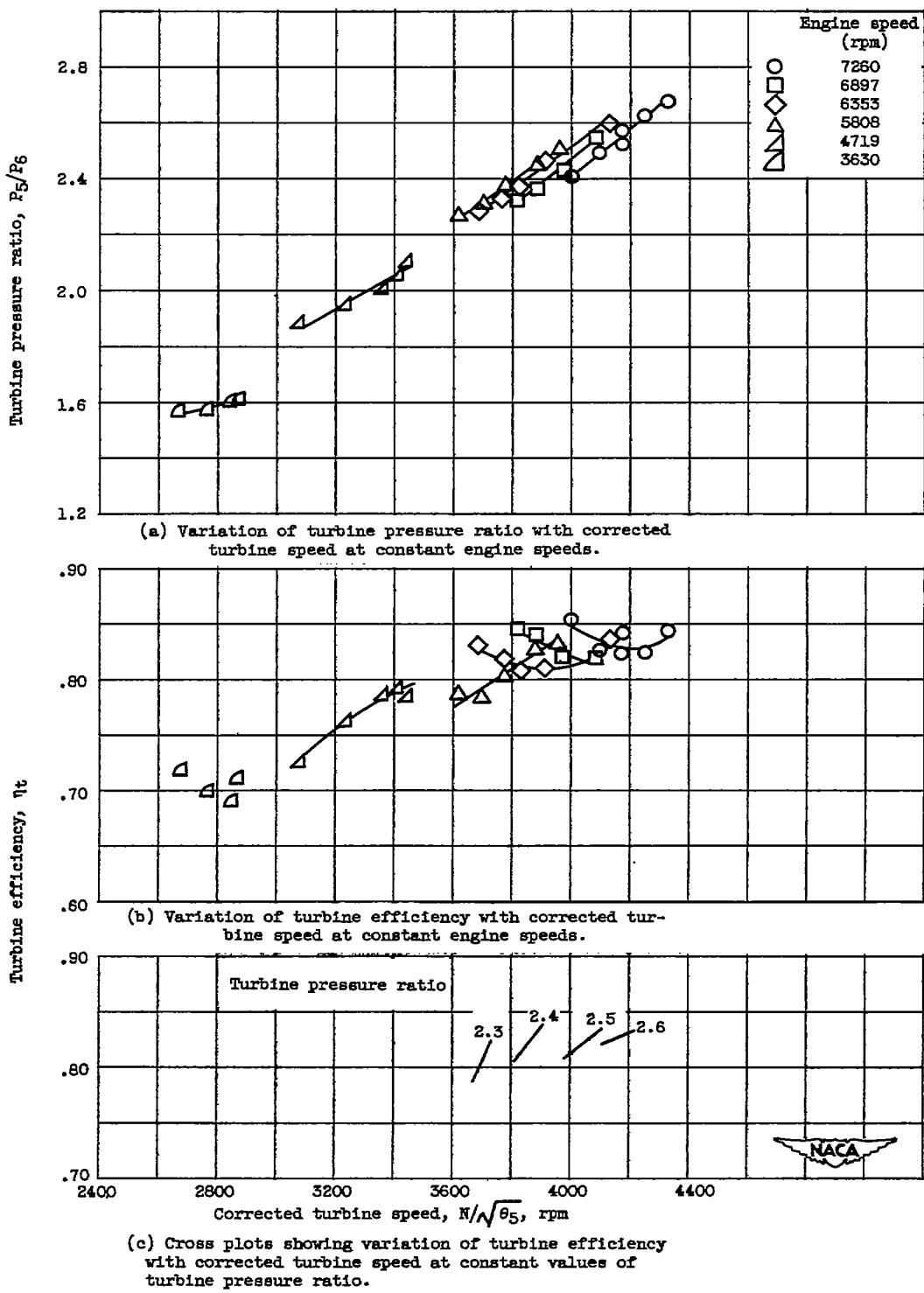


Figure 15. - Effect of various parameters on turbine pressure ratio and turbine efficiency.
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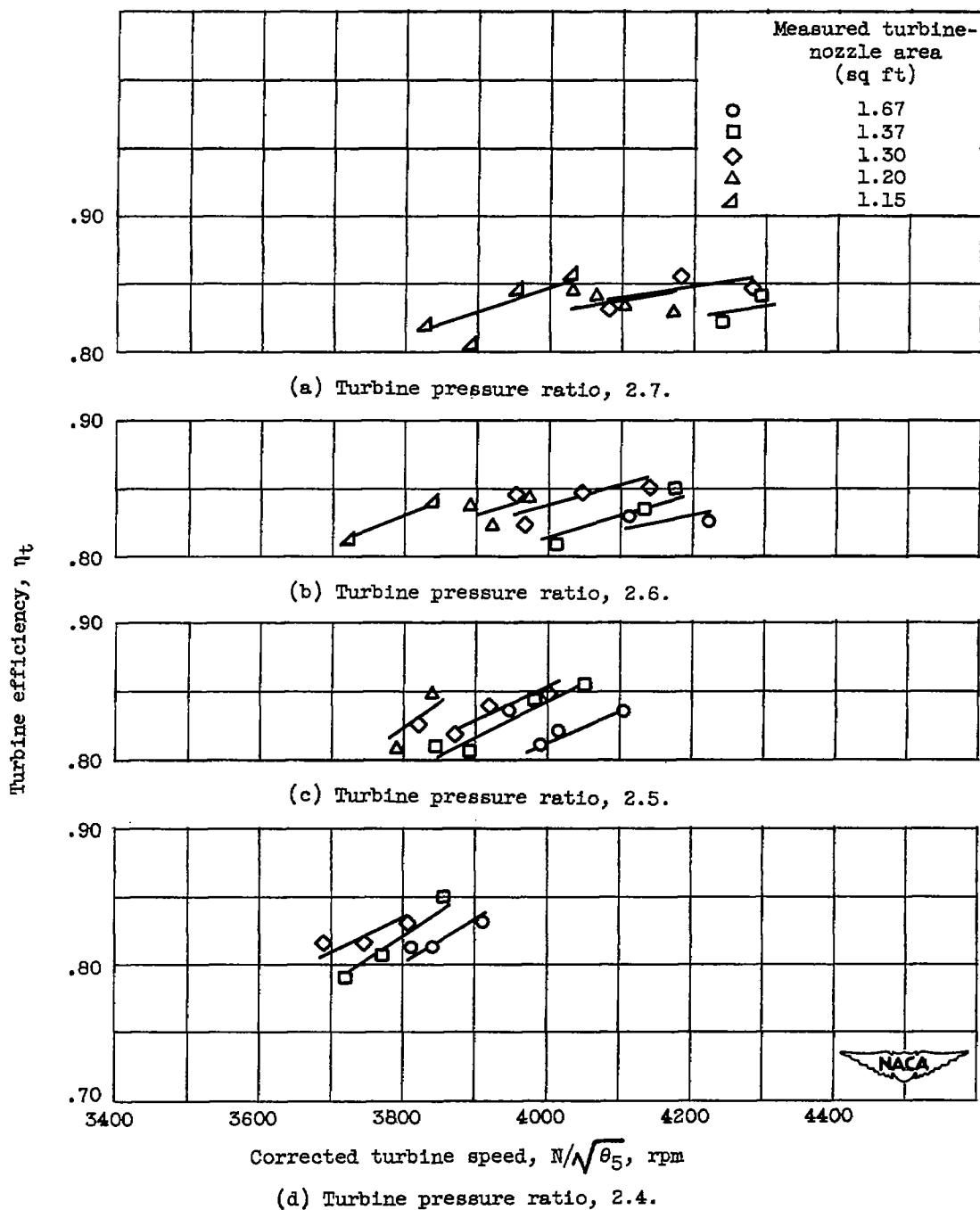


Figure 16. - Effect of turbine-nozzle area and corrected turbine speed on turbine efficiency at constant values of turbine pressure ratio. Altitude, 30,000 feet; flight Mach number, 0.62.

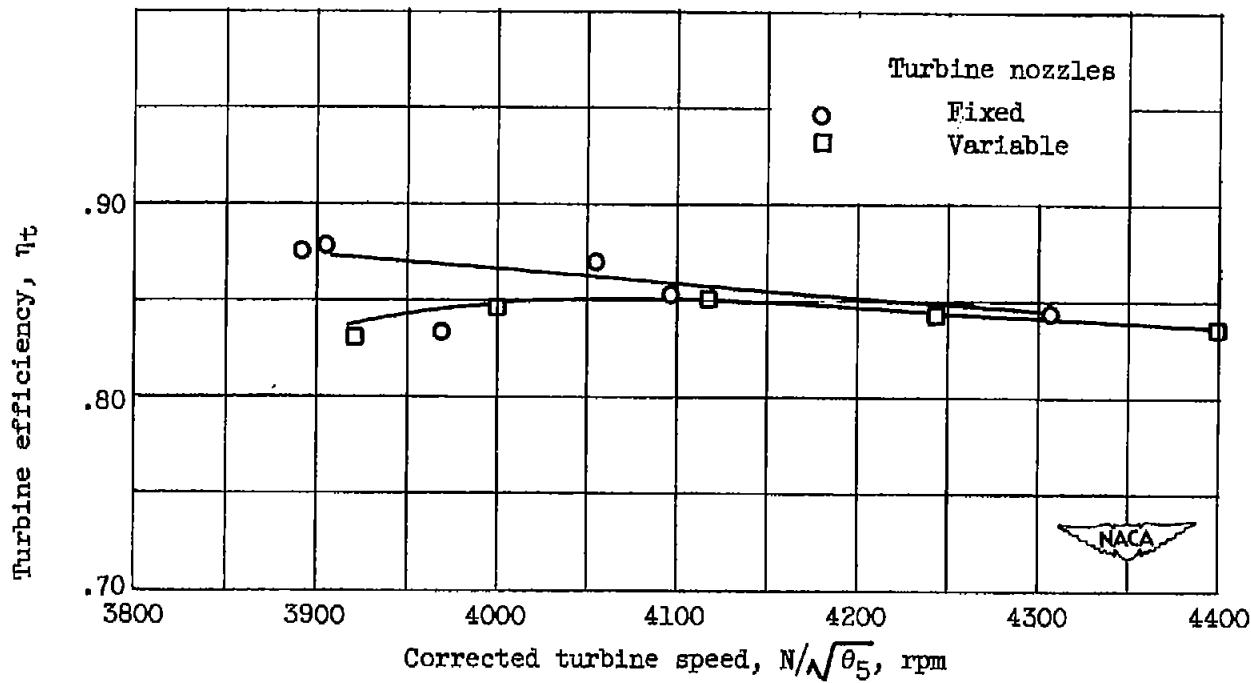


Figure 17. - Comparison of efficiencies obtained with fixed turbine nozzles and with variable-area turbine nozzles for an actual turbine-nozzle area of 1.30 square feet. Altitude, 30,000 feet; flight Mach number, 0.62; engine speed, 7260 rpm.

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